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OF MAINE.

"I wish to speak for the millions of all political parties, and in their name to declare that the Republic must be strong enough, and shall be strong enough to protect the weakest of its citizens in all their rights."—JAMES G. BLAINE.

EDITORIAL BRIEFS.

THE Syracuse *Herald* says Beaconsfield knows what hit him. It was a Glad-stone.

DENNIS KEARNEY'S prospects of spending the season behind the prison bars are very favorable.

GENERAL GARFIELD, after a tour through Ohio, says Sherman is sure of a solid delegation from that State.

IT looks as though Austria desired to pick a quarrel with Italy. She has expelled from Trieste a gentleman who is an author and a member of the Italian Congress.

A REPORT that Secretary Sherman is about to withdraw from the race is going the rounds. This, the Cleveland *Herald* thinks, is pretty strong evidence that Sherman is anything but a dead candidate.

COLORED refugees are still streaming into Kansas in great numbers. At present the exodus is principally from Louisiana and Mississippi, but it is spreading, and is expected to be general in the spring.

THE Democratic State Convention met at Syracuse yesterday. We went to press too early to give an account of the proceedings. An animated tussle between the Tilden and Tammany forces was expected.

THE road agents of the far west still ply their avocation with all their accustomed boldness, and there are prospects of a lively spring campaign. A raid was made on a stage coach a few days ago, and the passengers were very politely, though thoroughly, robbed. Gentlemanly fellows, these highwaymen.

THE report having gone out that the yellow fever had again appeared in Memphis, the president of the local board of health has emphatically denied it, which is very important if true. But we have not heard that any general effort has been made to save the city from another visitation similar to those of the last two years.

A MID-APRIL snow storm among the Rocky Mountains has blockaded the Central Pacific railroad, and put a sudden stop to travel east and west. The blockade may last several days. We may treat the predictions of the weather prophet lightly, here in this balmy climate, but it is a serious matter to those unfortunate travelers who are snow-bound among the Rockies.

THE destinies of the leading nations of Europe seem about to pass into new hands. Beaconsfield has been bluntly told by the English people to vacate his office; the angel of death is waiting for Gortschakoff; Bismarck wants to give it up; the Emperor Wilhelm has passed the allotted three score and ten, and the Czar may at any moment become the victim of the king killers.

So long as plenty of water and not too much steam are kept in a boiler there is no danger of an explosion; but when the water gets down out of sight and the steam away up, look out, boys, there's mischief in the thing. Inexperienced or careless persons are frequently employed to attend to these important details, and this is the key to most of the boiler explosions that have occurred since the power of steam was discovered.

Is He a Candidate?

Some people seem to have an idea that General Grant will refuse to be a candidate for President of the United States, even if he should have delegates enough to nominate him on the first ballot, and the men who are the most firm believers (or pretend to be) in this doctrine are the shrewd politicians who do not want any fuss made about delegates being instructed for Grant, because, as they say, "He will not be a candidate anyway;" "He has had honors enough and does not want it." We are free to say we do not take stock in any such talk; we do not believe that Grant will not take the nomination if he gets it, whether it be on the first or the twentieth ballot. In confirmation of this position, we may say he has a way of arriving at the most important point in the field of political operations at the critical moment of the contest for delegates to Chicago. He visited Philadelphia a few weeks before our State Convention was held. Returning from his Mexican tour he appeared in Texas and afterwards in Arkansas and Missouri just prior to the meeting of the conventions in those States, and now he ends his travels and reaches Illinois at the moment when the Republicans there are in the midst of a hot contest over the question of his candidacy. These coincidences may be accidental, but they do not have that appearance. General Grant did not do things by accident when he was a soldier, and it is scarcely probable that he is wandering over the country in an aimless way without any thought of the effect his travels and speeches may have on his Presidential prospects.

We give the General credit with more sense than many of these pretended friends who are talking him up, not so much because they love Grant, but because they care for themselves only and think through his nomination and election they may be able to feather their own nests. Grant is human and like other mortals loves to be honored among men. And what greater honor could he receive than to hold the Presidential office three times, thereby placing him above Washington and all the illustrious line of honored men who have preceeded him? If he would refuse this honor, if he can obtain it, we would set him down as a fool at once. As little as we care for office, we should take all such chances we could get a foolishly, confiding people to bestow.

A CAREFUL review of the Democratic situation in Pennsylvania is given in the Philadelphia *Press*. It is based on the statement of a friend of Senator Wallace, and is as favorable to him as it can be made. Only a few delegations remain to be elected to complete the roll of the Convention. Of those elected outside of Philadelphia Wallace claims 129 and concedes seventy-six to the Randall or Tilden faction. Philadelphia has forty-six delegates. Rival delegations from that city have been elected. Should the Randall delegation be admitted the two factions will be nearly balanced in the Convention, and the contest for its control will be fierce. But if the influence of Senator Wallace prevails and his adherents are admitted, his majority will be so large as to give him undisputed sway.

LEWIS ROBINSON, the son of a wealthy landowner in Chester county, has been arrested as the leader of a bold gang of robbers, who have been operating down there this spring. A silk dress worn by his young and unsuspecting wife led to his detection, the material having been identified as stolen goods.

A SUSPENSION of 3 days will take place in the coal mines of the Reading Coal and Iron Company, and other companies under its control, the latter part of this week.

WOULDN'T John Kelly rise up and flap his wings if Tilden should withdraw from the Presidential field?

Dishonest all Through.

The Democratic Congress does not seem to have a drop of honest blood in the veins of its Democratic members. Even the poor Indians must be cheated if these gentlemen thieves can find any way to do it. They have no regard for treaties or promises made either to the nations, creditors or its wards, or any other man or people. The way they have just dealt with the annual estimates for the Indian service is characteristic of the kind of statesmanship that prevails in the party which is botching the legislative business of the country. It consists of slashing into an item here and another there so as to reduce the total, without any regard to the obligations the Government has assumed toward the Indians or the danger of inciting them to war by breaking their treaties. The Government, for example, has agreed to give every member of the Sioux Nation a suit of clothes once a year, but the Democrats have cut down the appropriation so that the suits delivered in the far West are to cost only about five dollars apiece. It would be an interesting spectacle to see our economic Democratic Congressmen arrayed in one of the five-dollar suits which they insist are good enough to last an Indian an entire year. When it comes to making appropriations for public buildings or harbor improvements in their districts there's nothing small about these gentlemen; indeed it is beautiful to see how generous and free-handed they become; but they will deprive the shivering savages on the plains of the blankets and rations which have been promised them without the least compunction of conscience.

WASHINGTON.

Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18, '80.

A remarkable debate is now going on in the Senate on the Geneva Award bill, and the interesting feature of it is that Senator Blaine is almost alone in a running contest with the Democratic lawyers. He maintains that the people who owned ships that were destroyed by rebel's cruisers, whether they came strictly under the view of the Geneva Conference or not, should be reimbursed rather than the Insurance Companies, which made large profits from the ship owners. Thurman and other Democratic demagogues, unable to refute Senator Blaine's arguments, took revenge in twitting Senator Blaine of not being a lawyer, but the people who actually suffered during the late war are satisfied that if there was less law and more equity, as Senator Blaine presents it, they would be more apt to secure their rights.

The Democrats were able to pass the army appropriation bill with their political rider to prevent troops being stationed at the polls. But it will have no effect. The Constitution plainly gives the President the power and enjoins upon him the duty of using all the force at his command in certain cases, and if there is any threat of disturbance by Democrats in any section on election or any other days, President Hayes will not see the peace broken for the lack of force, whether of the army or civil authorities.

In most of their political measures, the Democrats seem to have backed down completely. The Kellogg case will probably be abandoned for the present because many conservative Democrats will not support the injustice which Hill and other fireaters from the South are trying to commit for the sake of fastening themselves upon the country.

Senator Edmunds says he will not be a Presidential candidate to beat either Blaine or Grant. He doesn't expect and does not want to be a candidate. But though Edmunds has publicly said he wont, many think it is but a professional coyness, and desire to be urged.

The strong Blaine delegation from Iowa, and the resolutions in the Republican State Conventions of Missouri and Kentucky have intensified the interests in the contests now raging in Illinois and Ohio, where Senator Blaine is "running neck and neck" with General Grant and Secretary Sherman. The next few weeks will be full of political excitement and it behooves all Republicans to keep cool and save their passions for more effective work in the main campaign to follow the nomination at Chicago. PHIL.

NEW YORK LETTER.

SOME NEW YORK SHOWS—STILL ANOTHER WALKING MATCH — VERY LIKE A WHALE—A PRETTY BIG FISH STORY — ASTONISHING FIGURES — HOLLIDAYSBURG SEMINARY.

From our own Correspondence.

NEW YORK, April 17th.

To maintain my principle of writing on the subjects which seem to fill most fully the public eye, I shall have to confine myself pretty closely to the shows of the city, for at this moment the various forms of amusement quite overshadow other topics not only in number but apparently in attractiveness. First of all there is our six day walking match. Now, I am aware that with respectable persons "walking match" is — or ought to be—a fighting word, and I apologize for multiplying words on a subject that has been a dozen times called in. In fact, every time I mention pedestrianism, or anything connected with it, I instinctively look around with the expectation of having to dodge something, very much as a man does when quoting Pinafore or referring to the "15 puzzle."

But what is a veracious correspondent to do when a crackbrained public will turn out by the ten thousand, as they have done through the past week, to witness the same old spectacle of half a dozen or so crippled men chasing their own shadows in dreary monotony, mainly for the benefit of backers and the betting fraternity? Had any one asked my opinion as to the chances of another walking match succeeding here, I should have said that money would be safer invested in wild-cat mining stock than risked in so played-out an enterprise. But the result shows that this pedestrian fever has fastened on to New York as the Old Man of the Sea bestrode Sinbad of old, for the lessees of Gilmore's Garden are making money hand over fist. There is one point, and one only, in connection with this match which is really worth notice, and that is the manner in which the African element is looming up in this form of contest, the two, Hart and Pegram, covering themselves with glory an inch thick, and conclusively proving that the sons of Ham are fully as strong on their pins as their cousins of the Japhet family, previous popular opinion to the contrary notwithstanding.

Yet another spectacle has been afforded the sight-seeing New Yorker this week which to my thinking is better worthy the interest it has awakened than either of those above referred to. All of us can remember, if we do not now experience, the wild enthusiasm of our youth over the exploits of whalers, and have probably all of us—those of the male persuasion I mean—hankered at one time or another for the excitement of such a life and the chase of these great kings of the deep, who seem like living relics of that remote age which produced the monster mastodons and plesiosauruses and zeuglodons and a multitude too numerous to mention of creatures with endless names and frequently still more protracted tails When, therefore, I saw advertised an exhibition of a big, dead whale, down at a certain dock on the East River, I grasped at the chance of verifying—or otherwise—my youthful conceptions of Leviathan, and went down forthwith. To tell the truth I rather expected to be disappointed in the size and general appearance of the animal: but on the contrary I was surprised at both. In fact I stood for a while like the veriest rustic and gazed in open-mouthed astonishment at the critter. Not, however, half as open mouthed as the critter gazed at me, for *his* mouth measured 17 feet by 10 or 11, while mine is—well, it isn't much larger than Brother Talmage's. The great mass of blubber lay upon a couple of dry docks, which were sunk under it, and then raised by pumping the air out of them. Most of its surface was covered by a thick, smooth, shiny black skin, that looked for all the world like india rubber, but along the sides near the head the color was whitish and the surface so regularly corrugated that it looked exactly like the overlapping boards on a boat's side. The eyes, no larger than those of a cow, were hardly to be found in the broad expanse of its leathery hide; but perhaps the strangest thing about the uncanny creature was that the throat, which had to convey all the nourishment from that vast mouth to the yet more capacious maw, was barely two inches in diameter. The whale's food, which consists mainly of small fish, is taken into the mouth in great quantites, ground to pulp by the action of the enormous tongue against the fringe of whalebone in the upper jaw, and then sucked down this microscopic throat. It seems to me that were anything needed to prove the proposition that the Bible is to be spiritually and not literally understood, the story of Jonah and the whale would suffice for the purpose.

After taking in these points by my own observation, I questioned an attendant and obtained the following additional facts. The whale, which is of the "humpbacked" variety, was killed off Cape Cod and sold by its captors for $600. The purchasers towed it to this city at a cost of $450, after cutting it open and taking from its stomach 20 barrels of herring, which they replaced by 15 empty oil barrels to help float the carcass. The latter measured 65 feet in length and 45 feet in circumference at the largest part and weighed 70 tons. The width of the fluke from point to point was about 10 feet. The carcass is now being cut up and is expected to yield some 1,300 gallons of oil. On the whole the dead giant was a wonderful sight. "If I hadn't a' seen it myself," as the sailors say when getting off a sea serpent yarn, "I wouldn't ha' believed it."

I alluded last week to the Hollidaysburg seminary for young ladies, an institution belonging to your State, and of which you may well feel proud. I promised to speak of it again, and perhaps I cannot do better than to speak of something of real merit in order to give my letter character while speaking of so much for which we spend money only to please the eye or to gratify a morbid desire for excitement. As I said before this institution is situated at Hollidaysburg, Blair county, Pa., W. P. Hussey, A. M., principal. The town is located on a branch of the Pennsylvania Central railroad, but a short distance from Altoona, and contains about five thousand inhabitants. It is the head of the Juniata Valley, near the foot of the Allegheny mountains, in a region noted for a healthful atmosphere and the beauty and grandeur of its scenery. Kittanning Point, familiar to all travelers who have visited your State, and many other localities familiar to artists are visible from the seminary. The climate is exceedingly mild and genial, even for that latitude. Pure air, spring water and delightful surroundings make the school one of the most desirable resorts in the State, while cheerful rooms, proximity to the churches and the shelter afforded by the Allegheny mountains on the north and west make it a desirable place for winter study. The grounds about the buildings embrace four acres and are used entirely for lawn purposes. The building is completely new, finished throughout, heated by steam, lighted by gas and supplied with mountain spring water conducted by pipes to every floor. The structure is of stone, three stories in height above basement, contains 40 rooms each to accommodate two scholars, besides guest chambers and apartments for principals and teachers, nursery, office and reception room two parlors, chapel and dining room, reading room, music instruction rooms, recitation rooms laboratory, gymnasium laboratories bath room &c. Every window sash is weighted, each door has a transom and each chimney two ventilating flues; the halls are wide and unobstructed so that every room can be thoroughly ventilated. Halls and rooms heated and in fact everything in the best of order and after the latest modern improvements., no better schoolhome for a young lady can be found and the charges for board and tuition are very reasonable, and can be obtained by addressing a line to the principal, I shall defer further mention of this school for another letter, this one already having reached as long a stretch as your patience will endure. RADIX.

A Cool and Unprovoked Murder Avenged.

ST. LOUIS, Mo., April 17.—Nathan Fawcett and Jacob Waldrón, two mulattos, were hanged at Mexico, Mo., yesterday, for the murder of Octave Julaw, a man well known in this community, on September 30, 1879. They rested well last night and ate a hearty breakfast this morning. At 1 o'clock the procession left the jail for the place of execution, followed by several thousand people. The scaffold was reachad at 1:45 p. m., and was ascended by the doomed men with marked calmness. Catholic service was performed by the attending priests. The black cap was adjusted at 1:50, and at 2:05 precisely the drop was sprung and the wretched men ushered into eternity. The crime for which these men were hanged was committed about a mile from Mexico, and was one of the most cool and unprovoked murders ever perpetrated. The trouble originated about a white woman, who is now awaiting trial as accessory, and with whom Julaw and the negroes cohabited.

A Powder Mill Blown Up and 25 Persons Killed.

SAN FRANCISCO, April 17.—The Giant powder works in the district of Berkeley, across the bay, exploded yesterday afternoon, killing 12 white men and 12 or 14 Chinamen. This is the third explosion this company has sustained, all attended with loss of life. The explosion occurred in the packing room, and all the men at work there were killed. There were about 6,000 pounds of powder in the room, and all the victims were blown to atoms. A large portion of the skull of a Chinaman was found with the quene attached. There were six houses inside of the works, and they were all blown to pieces, but the workmen in them escaped, with the exception of one man in the magazine, of whom no trace has been found. Outside the works are six houses, including the boating house of the hands, all of which were more or less damaged, but are still standing. The explosion is purely the result of carelessness. The workmen are hired by the piece, and are directed to use wooden mallets in packing cartridges, but they found they could work faster and make more money by using iron hammers, a dangerous practice. It is supposed that some man struck his cartridge once too often and it went off, igniting the powder before him, which communicated, with the above terrible result.

Escape of Convicts.

NEW CASTLE, Pa., April 19.—E. Retsh, William Austin and Thomas Flanigan, who were serving out a two years' sentence for attempted arson in Wilmington last fall, escaped from the jail this morning by displacing a bar in their cell window and scaling the wall by means of a rope made from bed clothing.

Uncle Tom's Cabin.

—Our citizens will have an opportunity of witnessing the great play of "Uncle Tom's Cabin" at the Opera House next Monday evening, as presented by Anthony & Ellis' mammoth troupe of thirty artists. Among the many flattering notices given this troupe by the press we find the following from the Concord (N. H.) *Monitor*:

Every one can enjoy seeing the play of Uncle Tom's Cabin, as given by Anthony & Ellis' superb company, who have presented this great play to large and cultivated audiences for upwards of nearly seven hundred nights. There is not a poor artist with the company, and every movement upon the stage brings tears at one time and laughter at another. Miss Minnie Foster is without doubt the greatest Topsy living; her impersonation of "the child that never was born," is truly wonderful. The other characters are sustained in a manner that has seldom been equalled. This magnificent company have adopted low prices this season, and the consequence has been that they are nightly received with full houses, frequently turning many hundreds away. Their success is without precedent.

A movement is on foot to reorganize the 51st Regiment of Veteran Volunteers of Pennsylvania. It is thought fit that the remainder of this bold, fearless set of men, who faced the shot and shell in many a battle, should now bind themselves together by the strongest ties of friendship. In regard to this is the following request, authorized by the leading officers and many of those in the ranks:

That every member of the 51st regiment send officers and privates—his name, position held in the regiment, leiter of company of which he was member and present address, and further that he notify any other member or members whom he thinks may not see this notice. And if any person not a member of the regiment who had a father, brother, son, relative or friend now living will note the said member and send it to the gentleman hereinafter designated he will confer a favor on the regiment. Let every person interested consider the matter, and give it prompt attention. A letter or postal card will contain all the particulars to be forwarded to the committee. Address Col. Wm. J. Bolton, Norristown, Pa.

Poetry.

SONNETS ON THE LORD'S PRAYER.

"Our Father! who art in heaven."

Father in heaven! how many hearts are breathing
That hallowed name with reverent lips tonight;
On Southern plains where graceful vines are wreathing,
Or on some lofty, snow-clad alpine height,
The lonely dweller on the rugged mountain,
The mariner, upon the trackless sea,
The peasant maiden by the wildwood fountain,
And childhood lisping at it's mother's knee,—
All breathe, alike, the beautiful petition
To Thee. *Our Father who in heaven art*;
And Thou dost own, most blessed recognition!
The tie between Thee and each human heart!
THY CHILDREN! May we ever strive to be
Worthy, our Father, of that name and Thee!

"Hallowed be Thy name."

Hallowed, ay, hallowed! not alone in prayer,
But in our daily thought and daily speech;
At altar and at hearth-stone—everywhere
That temple-priest or house-apostle preach,
O, not by words alone, but by our deeds,
And by our faith, and hope, and spirits flame,
And by the nature of our private creeds,
We hallow best, and glorify Thy name.
Nature doth hallow it. In every star,
And every flower, and leaf, and leaping wave,
She praises Thee, who from Thy realms afar,
Such stores of beauty to this fair earth gave.
But these alone should not Thy love proclaim—
Our hearts, our souls respond—"*All hallowed be Thy name!*"

"Thy kingdom come."

Where shall Thy kingdom come? In halls of State,
Or old cathedrals, where the mighty throng—
Where mitred priests in robes of purple wait,
And pealing organs chant the lofty song!
Where shall Thy kingdom come? In cloisters dim,
Where the pale nun in adoration bends;
While with the music of her vesper hymn
Some fond regret or cherished memory blends?
Or in the dwelling of the lowly poor,
Where humble hopes and meek affections spring!
There shall the dove of peace, her wanderings o'er,
At length find shelter for her weary wing?—
Where shall Thy kingdom come? Is not Thy throne
Within the humble, contrite soul alone?

"Thy will be done on earth as it is in heaven."

O, beautiful and bright that world must be,
Where life is but the doing of God's will;
Could we on earth as perfectly fulfill
Thy holy law, we also should be free!
For angels are not happier than are we,
When in our hearts we take our Father's name
And with a resolute and steady aim,
Make all our deeds with His high will agree;
Father, we love our land of human birth,
Which Thou to us for a brief home hast given;
We love this beautiful and fair young earth,
And fain would make it like our home in heaven,
Oh! one thing more we truly need—but one,
That here as in yon heaven—THY HOLY WILL BE DONE!

"Give us this day our daily bread."

O, God our Father, from Thy throne on high,
Amid the melody of harps divine,
Wilt Thou not listen to Thy children's cry,
Borne on prayer-incense to Thy holy shrine?
Father, we hunger! as we faltering tread
The rugged pathway through life's wilderness;
Oh, "give to us each our daily bread,"—
Strengthen our footsteps as we onward press!
Thou who of old Thy mercy didst declare
To Israel, wandering in the desert land;
Turn not away from this our fervent prayer,
Nor let our frailties stay Thy gracious hand!
Thou who with blessings makest each day rife,
Give to our fainting souls the BREAD OF LIFE!

"Forgive us our debts as we forgive our debtors."

In our hard march through life we may have offered
A friendly hand to some poor, fainting brother,
And in our turn have failed, and no one proffered
The aid we lent so freely to another;
We may have lived a life of cheerful duty,
Have gladly toiled and suffered for our neighbor,
And aimed to fill his soul with moral beauty,
Yet reaped but wrongs and curses for our labor.
Oh, if these debts are from our soul forgiven,
Not even asking penitent confession,
Then, Father, wilt Thou from Thy throne in heaven,
Bend down, and kindly pardon our transgression;
But if we pardon not can we petition
The unerring God of heaven to give *our* sin remission?

"Lead us not into temptation."

From the low hut where poverty contendeth
Bravely with vice, the sumptuously fed;
While from his heart an anguish wail ascendeth,
As weak young voices vainly cry for bread'—
From the proud soul that burneth for dominion
Over the mighty universe of mind
That fain would soar away on eagle pinion,
Leaving life's tame realities behind,—
And from the beauty-dowered, in humble station,
Who for the world's gay pageants fondly sighs,
From Hagar, maddened by her desolation—
From *every* poor, frail heart this prayer should rise,
"Suffer us not to fall into temptation."
Lead us, oh, Father, where our duty lies!

"But deliver us from evil."

Ere down the purple west the sunbeams sink,
How many a snare may lurk along our way!
How oft our trembling feet upon the brink
Of passion's stream unconsciously may stray!
Oh, Father, at Thy feet we humbly pray
That from its burning waves we may not drink!
Most tempting it gushes o'er our track,
Flashing like jewels 'neath our eager eyes;
Oh, place Thine arm around us! Draw us back!
For he who drinks that deadly water dies.
Thou, Father, Thou alone hast those supplies
Which renovate and satisfy the soul;
From Thy great spirit like a tide they roll,
And every heart may come and fill its golden bowl.

"For Thine is the kingdom, the power, and the glory, forever—Amen."

THINE IS THE KINGDOM. Everlasting God!
In all Thy works Thy soverignty is shown—
Justice and mercy wait upon Thy nod,
And Truth upholds the pillars of Thy throne.
THINE IS THE POWER—to tame the rebel heart,
To make the serpent gentle as the dove,
Comfort and peace and wisdom to imnart,
And to do ALL THINGS by Thy wondrous love!
THINE IS THE GLORY—not of earthly kings—
Not Thine their empty pomp and poor renown—
But with THY GOODNESS, the empyrean rings;
Love is Thy sceptre, LOVE Thy glorious crown.
While earthly thrones return to dust again,
Thine shall endure forevermore—AMEN!

Microscopic Revelations.

Lewinbeck tells of an insect seen with a microscope of which 27,000,000 would only equal a mite. Insects of various kinds may be seen in the cavities of a grain of sand. Mold as a forest of beautiful trees, with branches, leaves and fruit. Butterflies are fully feathered. Hairs are hollow tubes. The surface of our bodies is covered with scales like a fish; a single grain of sand would cover 150 of these scales, and yet each scale would cover 500 pores. Through the narrow openings the perspiration forces itself like water through a sieve. The mites take 500 steps a second. Each drop of stagnant water contains a world of animated beings, swimming with as much liberty as whales in a sea. Each leaf has a colony of insects grazing on it like cows in a meadow.

There is probably nothing in this transitory world that yields larger and quicker returns on the amount invested than poking a wasp with your finger to see if he feels well.

Our Story Teller.

RHODA'S HOLIDAY.

"Lakewood," shouted the conductor, and Rhoda jumped up, smiling a little to herself as she marshaled together her book and wrap, and satchel, and made sure of her umbrella. Lakewood it was; the same greeted her from a freshly-painted sign above the station door as she stepped down on the platform, the only passenger it would seem for that pleasant lonely destination. In an instant the train was whizzing on its way again, and then around the end of the station came a pretty wagonette, and a flutter of blue ribbons and gray gloves.

"Oh, Rhoda dear!" cried Lucy, reining in her horse gently, as she looked a beaming welcome at her cousin. "It seems too good to believe. Let me have the satchel—step right in, dear. Now the umbrella; and now I can kiss you! I am so glad!"

"I am glad, too," says Rhoda, in her slow, grave voice.

They make a marked contrast, sitting side by side as they roll away down the shaded country road—Lucy with her smiling, delicate beauty, set off by gay colors and girlish adornment. Rhoda, dark and pale, and serious, clad in deep mourning from head to foot, a curious pathetic look of resignation on her fine, thoughtful face. Her eyes glance right and left at the hedge rows and blooming gardens, and far over the sunlit fields, and again at the tender, gentle face beside her, with a deep, silent eloquence of their own.

"Mamma thought you would not come, and George thought you would not, but I knew you would," says Lucy, quite elated by this triumph of her own prescience. "You know we were so often disappointed, but this morning something seemed to tell me. And are the children well—and your mother?"

"The children—yes; but mother complains a good deal. I didn't want to leave her; it seemed hard, Lucy. I can't help feeling it is wrong, somehow, or at least selfish, in me to take a pleasure they cannot share."

"Oh, nonsense, Rhoda. You'd been working in that horrid shop all the year, and only think what deprivations you've had—losing your father, and giving up school and everything, and then to grudge your self a few days' rest—especially when it is partly to make others happy. I should be miserable if you had not come. You don't know how I plan and fix things in my own mind, for you, Rhoda. I often lie awake at night, and think if only Caddie and Ju were married, then papa could adopt you, and you could go to school and graduate, and then if you wanted to earn your living you could teach you know. Oh, I think if some kind philanthropist could know about you, how clever you are, and all that, and give you as much money as you need for your education, wouldn't it be splendid? Oh, I wish things would happen when we want them to!"

"Look at the butterflies, Lu," says Rhoda, quietly, but her eyes were full of tears.

For an instant the bright-winged atoms of color sailing along the roadside look like flowers dancing through the mist. Rhoda leans back against the cushion, her arm round Lucy's shoulder. How sweet the fresh green lanes smell, and the blossoming clover fields; how sweeter than any dream of beauty is the tender blue glimpse of sky above the rustling tree-tops! Now and then a shrill bird song breaks from the hedge-row, or a cowbell tinkles from the grassy meadows. Along the wayside a merry, talkative stream looks out between the bushes here and there, as if in friendly recognition of the two young faces flitting by. It is like a new world to the weary city girl, all this freshness and stillness, the warm, dreamful loveliness of shadow and sunshine, and slow, fragrant wind.

On and on, up the long country road, through slender belts of woodland, whose dim vistas open into sunny distances, past mills and over rattling bridges, until the wide level of the lake comes suddenly in view, sparling like a million diamonds, or like one great diamond with a million sparkles.

"Oh, Lu!" cries Rhoda, clutching at Lucy's arm.

Lucy laughs, for she has not told her of this beautiful surprise.

"And here we are at home," rejoins Lucy, gaily, as she turns in through an open gateway, where a low brown cottage, all doors and windows, and verada, greets them, nestled under great pines and maples. Julia and Caddie come rushing off the porch, although they are quite grown up young ladies now, and the air rings with Rhoda! Rhoda! Rhoda! The noise of kisses, laughter, and glad voices is welcome enough for a dozen girls. Round the corner of the house comes George, with his hands in his pockets, whistling and taking his time, but nodding kindly to Rhoda, who suddenly remembers the faded blue jacket he used to wear when they went to school together, and a penknife he gave her for an apple once. She wonders if she ought to kiss him now that he has grown so tall.

"Hello!" is George's comprehensive greeting.

Then he walks up to the horse and begins to pat his neck affectionately, only glancing with the corner of his eye at Rhoda's slim, black dress. Rhoda turns a wistful look on his face, but can find no trace of her little playmate in the sturdy, grown-up, handsome boy, with the small beginnings of a mustache on his very brown face.

"How you have changed, George," she says, pensively, and George replies:

"Changed? Do you think so? Whoa, Dandy? Get round, old fellow."

And then Rhoda is whisked away into the house, and is presently seated at a comfortable dinner table watching Aunt Margie as she carves chicken and dispenses salad. Everywhere around her are the dear faces of her young kinsfolk, the eager, noisy chatter of their voices as they talk to her all at once in excess of kindliness. The girl's heart swells strangely. She is divided between the keen appetite of youth and a wild desire to run away from every one and cry herself satisfied for very joy.

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The golden days of her brief visit pass all too soon for Rhoda. Like the magic beads of the captive princess, they are all told but one before she really awakens from the enchantment of sweet idleness, the longed-for rest and freedom of those sunny hours. To-morrow she must turn her face homeward—to the daily toil and care—the heart-wearing routine she has left behind! Poor Rhoda! It seems only like yesterday that she stepped off the train at Lakewood station, yet two full bright weeks have slipped away and now she is tying on her hat for a last row on the lake, and wondering sadly why time must fly so quickly.

"Oh, come, dear!" cries Lucy from the veranda.

Ju is gathering roses and stops to fasten one on Rhoda's sombre dress as they meet in the pathway. Lucy and Caddy go skipping on before. It is not far, through the orchard and the stubble field to the float where half a dozen boats are moored. The road is in full view—a carriage is rolling by, some children are playing on the beach, the sunset light lies warm and tranquil across the lake, and against the brown hills on the farther shore. A gruff old man, rather roughly dressed, who barely nods in answer to Ju's pleasant salutation, is pushing out his boat while the girls unfasten theirs. Ju is evidently used to his gruffness. She smiles as she looks after him.

"That is old John Trenck, the millionaire. He lives alone in that funny stone house just above ours. Mind your dress, Rhoda. Now, Caddy, push, push; that's it. He scarcely ever speaks to us, or indeed to any one, except those little Johnson children. See them throwing pebbles at his boat. They are always like that, ragged and happy. Pull on the left, Rhoda; gently, gently."

"Perhaps George will think we ought to have asked him to come," says Caddie, trailing her slim fingers through the water, and Rhoda looks up conscience-stricken. Poor old George! He has been so kind to her, and now she had forgotten all about him.

"Shan't we go back?" she asks frankly. The others laugh.

"Make your strokes a little longer, dear," said Lucy. "Oh, George won't mind. Besides, we can't stay out very long. The Ransoms are coming to spend the evening. Did you forget?"

"Dip, dip, dip, go the oars; the silvery drops fly in little showers, and a trail of curving foam ripples behind. The girls are chatting and laughing and bursting into song, sending their fresh voices echoing along the shore. Rhoda joins them, too, but her voice is subdued, her heart is full of the lovely scene to which she is saying a silent goodbye. They pass Mr. Trenck's boat; he sits smoking with his oars at rest, and never turns his face. Rhoda's dark eyes stare at him solemnly as the boat drifts by. Of what is he thinking, this lonely old man, with no companion but his own mute fancies? When they draw homeward again he is still in the same place motionless. The girls pass him this time with quick strokes. They are in haste, now, for a new pleasure, and soon their boat bumps in against the float. They have been gone scarcely half an hour. The sunset still flashes in the west, the happy, ragged children are still at play, romping and racing on the long, slender pier, that juts out past the float into deep water; waiting, perhaps, for the first sight of Mr. Trenck's returning boat.

"Little savages!" says Caddie, philosophically shaking out her flattened flounces. "See them race and tumble. I often wonder—"

But the subject of Caddie's wonderment will be unknown forever. Splash! goes something heavy in the water, and loud shrieks of dismay resound from the end of the pier.

"Maggie's overboard!" The four girls bounded like deer to the spot. "Help! help!" cry Lu and Julia wildly; and "Help! help!" echoes pitifully across the lake again.

"It's the little one, the baby!" gasps Caddie, with white lips, and she rushes away toward the house in search of aid.

Up comes the little struggling body, the brown arms tossed above the water, the little face blanched and drawn with terror.

"We can't see her drown," says Rhoda, pale and quiet. "I'll try to save her, Lucy. I must! Throw me an oar; anything to hold by."

"But you can't swim. Rhoda, Rhoda!"

"Yes—no—I don't know. I will try!" and before her cousin's arms can stay her, Rhoda's slim figure jumps over the parapet with a loud plunge.

"Help! help!" cries Julia's agonized voice once more.

Lucy has bounded back to the boathouse for an oar, and is at the pier again almost in the same instant, and in time to see Rhoda disappearing for the second time. But she has clutched the child by its clothing. Lucy can see them sink together. With heart-wrung pangs she stands waiting, ready to launch the oar. A boat is flying down the lake toward them; she can hear the row-locks, but she dares not even turn her head. How long the time seems! She is catching her breath in passionate, despairing sobs, when Rhoda's pale, sweet face gleams at her again. Instantly she throws the oar; it strikes within a foot of her cousin's grasp. Rhoda catches at it, misses, catches again; her fingers close around it, and she smiles at Lucy, as she lifts the child's unconscious head upon her shoulder.

"Help is coming, darling Rhoda. Hold fast," says Lucy, shuddering, and reaching out imploring hands to the boat that is pumping along like mad to the quick strokes.

It is Mr. Trenck's boat, and Mr. Trenck's rough voice is roaring words of cheer over his shoulder to the brave, struggling girl. In another moment danger has passed her by. Mr. Trenck has taken her half-drowned from her shoulder, and she is holding to the gunwale of his boat, saying:

"Oh, that's nothing. I could not see the baby drown, you know."

Mr. Trenck does not express his opinion very freely on the moment, but when they reach terra firma, he wraps little Maggie tenderly in his rough, warm cloak, and then says, bending his piercing gaze on Rhoda, who stands shivering in her wet black dress, with her drenched hair clinging about her neck:

"What do you mean by such outrageous conduct? You ought to be ashamed of yourself, risking your life for a little ragged brat you never saw before! I suppose there's people at home that love you, eh? And would miss you if you went under, eh? I should not wonder, you silly, reckless thing. You noble, lion-hearted girl! Give me your hand!"

And the stern voice breaks suddenly, and Rhoda feels her wet, trembling hand lifted to the rough lips like a queen's. After that Mr. Trenck shoulders the still unconscious baby and tramps off toward her home, the two other children pattering along by his side.

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About a month after her return from Lakewood, Rhoda received a very unexpected letter. She comes in from work in the late evening, tired and dusty, but with a cheerful smile for her mother, and a kiss for each of the little ones, and is at once presented with a large, square missive, boldly superscribed in an unfamiliar hand with her name and address. This is what it contains:

"MISS RHODA RAYMOND.—We, the undersigned, are authorized to inform you that the sum of $5,000 (five thousand dollars) has been legally placed in our hands for your use and benefit, a free gift, to dispose of as you think proper, the name of the donor being, for the present, withheld. You are requested to call at this office at your earliest convenience, and make known your wishes.

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"God has sent us a friend at last," she says faintly, as she lays the letter down. "It is Mr. Trenck, I know it is. Mother, I can graduate, now, and then I can teach. Father wished so, and I need not work any longer; you will be cared for. Oh, mother, mother!" and for the first time in her long trial, the brave girl's heart fails her, and she faints away on her mother's bosom beneath the weight of happiness too great to bear.

A Female Prisoner's Freak.

A few weeks ago Mary Smith, aged about 24 years, was committed to the Pike county jail, in Milford, for larceny. Her conduct since her confinement has been such as to make it necessary to keep a strict watch over her. The janitor was in the habit of giving her a small handlamp at night filled with kerosene oil. For the past few days he saw that the oil in the lamp disappeared very rapidly, and he resolved to watch the prisoner more closely. A few nights ago he caught her in the act of putting a part of the oil into a teacup which had been accidentally left in her cell. The cup was nearly full of oil, and when the janitor made the discovery he questioned the prisoner as to what she intended doing with it. She made a frank admission and said that it was her intention to pour the oil upon the door leading from her cell to the hall at night and ignite it after the occupants had retired. By this means she hoped to make her escape. The prisoner claims to have lived in the south, and says she has been in prison a number of times for various crimes.

A Boy Bites His Tongue Off.

Last Monday a little boy named Rupp, aged four years, while playing with a sister, stumbled and fell, and his tongue being between his teeth at the time, the jar forced his jaws together and almost severed about three-fourths of that member. It hung by a small piece of flesh on either side. The little fellow was attended to by a surgeon, but while the sore was beginning to heal the lips of the wound did not unite, and his parents brought him to the hospital in this city for treatment. The surgeons here cut the flesh on either side of the wound, sewed it together and the little fellow will soon be all right again.—*Harrisburg Telegraph.*

A Story of Bismarck's Youth.

When Prince Bismarck, then simply Herr von Bismarck-chonhausen, was a student at Gottingen, he was known for his boldness and undaunted courage. Freely abandoning himself to the rather rough pleasures of a German university life, he entered into them with the vigor so often displayed by him in graver matters. First in the "Kneipe," the students' tavern, and in the "Fechtsaal," their fencing hall, he was but little seen in the college rooms listening to the lectures of the learned professors. Dreaded on account of his acknowledged skill and prowess there was hardly any one among his fellow-students venturesome enough to measure swords with him. But even here the modern Goliath found a David in the person of a young Westphalian, who, offended at Prince Bismarck's arrogant manners, challenged him, although he was vainly dissuaded on all sides from a contest with the sturdy Pommeranian nobleman.

Herr Biedewald, the gentleman in question, stood his ground with such skill that he, after wearying his adversary by his skillful defense, finally dealt him a heavy blow, the signs of which are still discernible on the chancellor's face. Long years passed before the two antagonists again met. While the one had risen to the highest rank, the other devoted himself to the welfare of his native town, which ultimately returned him to parliament, where he, a strong representative of the liberal party, found himself obliged to oppose the reactionary measures of Prince Bismarck, whose championship of the rights of the throne and alter had not yet been mitigated by his subsequent success in unification of his fatherland. Herr Biedewald's death occurring a few days ago, has vividly recalled the interesting incidents of his encounter with the leading statesman, which also formed the subject of a popular song, well known among Germans.—*London Globe.*

Home Life a Hundred Years Ago.

One hundred years ago not a pound of coal or cubic foot of illuminating gas had been burned in the country. No iron stoves were used and no contrivances for economizing heat were employed until Dr. Franklin invented the iron framed fireplace which still bears his name. All the cooking and warming, in town as well as in the country, were done by the aid of a fire kindled on the brick hearth or in the brick ovens. Pine knots or tallow candles furnished the light for the long winter nights, and sanded floors supplied the place of rugs and carpets. The water used for household purposes was drawn from deep wells by the creaking sweep. No form of pump was used in this country, so far as we can learn, until after the commencement of the present century. There were no friction matches in those early days, by the aid of which a fire could be easily kindled, and if the fire went out on the hearth over night, and the tinder was damp, so that the spark would not catch, the alternative remained of wading through the snow a mile or so to borrow a brand from a neighbor. Only one room in any house was warm, unless some member of the family was ill; in all the rest the temperature was at zero during many nights in winter. The men and women of a hundred years ago undressed and went to their beds in a temperature colder than that of our barns and woodsheds, and they never complained.

Horrible Fate of a Ghoul.

Indiana furnishes the most horrible case on record. Gordon Truesdale, a handsome South Bender, had a desire to procure a collection of human skulls, being an amateur phrenologist. He dug down into the grave of Sarah Platts, cut the flesh away around the neck, and placing his foot on the breast of the corpse, wrenched the head off by main force. He disjointed and threw away the lower jaw. He poisoned his nose with some of the matter from the corpse, and his head swelled up until incisions had to be made in his nose and forehead to prevent the skin from bursting. His eyes actually decayed and became sightless, and the odor was so horrible that attendants were at first obliged to flee from the house and afterwards handled him with gloves. He confessed his crime and died in awful agony. As soon as the breath left the body it was placed in the coffin, but it swelled so as to burst off the lid, and the remains were hurried to the cemetery in the night and buried.—*Hagerstown Globe.*

THE HORRIBLE SACRIFICE IN BURMAH.—A dispatch from London dated April 12, says the seven hundred men, boys, women, girls, priests and foreigners sacrificed at Mandalay for the restoration of the king's health, were buried alive and not "burned," under the towers of the city wall. The following is an explanation of the horror: When a city is built in Burmah human sacrifices are offered. A new monarchy usually has a new capital, and evil spirits are agitated. There has been no change of capital, and by virtue of old sacrifices being given to appease evil spirits, the astrologers deemed it necessary to sacrifice seven hundred lives. The sacrifices were made by order of King Theebaw.

Cremation will end all terrors of the "cold, cold grave."

All Sorts.

"Who can touch pitch and not be defiled?" A musician.

Who is that lady whose visits nobody desires? Miss Fortune.

Two men were killed by Indians on March 28th near La Joy.

We are apt to consider an act wrong because it is unpleasant to us.

To succeed one must sometimes be very bold, and sometimes very prudent.

A river is called a sheet of water because it is spread out over the bed.

Some people's brains are like western lands—enough of them, but not half cultivated.

When gratitude has become a matter of reasoning, there are many ways of escaping from its bonds.

When a Mormon family hangs out its washing there are generally fifteen petticoats to every shirt upon the line.

"Please pass the butter" is obsolete. "Allow the oleomargarine to slide down this way" is now the "propah capah."

The Philadelphia & Reading Railroad company intend to place electric lights in all of their shops in Reading at a cost of $800 to $1,000 each.

Joseph M. Harrold shot and killed James Fitzsimmons, at Austin, Scott county, Ind., in a quarrel growing out of a political discussion.

"Money," says Mr Talmage, "is a golden breasted bird with silver beak." Yes, and it's a kind of poultry that most men are particularly fond of.

"Jack, what relation to you is that old gentleman I saw you with this morning?" "Oh, not much; he's married to my grandparents' only daughter."

"Will you name the bones of the head?" said a teacher to one of his class. "I've got 'em all in my head, teacher," replied the pupil, "but I can't give 'em."

A dispatch from Gloucester says the fishing schooner Annie C. Norwood, Captain Hurst, and crew of fourteen men, is supposed to have been lost in the March gales.

Charles Fernandez, while at a dance at a stage station near Santa Fe, quarreled with a party of graders of the D. & R. G. R. R., and was shot four times and killed.

It is said that a girl who can shed three tears at a critical moment and follow them up with a quivering sigh, can marry all around a good-looking blonde who does nothing but blush.

J. H. Schoerer, defaulting cashier of the late savings bank of Louisville on the indictment for embezzling $110,000 from the bank, has been sentenced to the penitentiary for one year.

A young lady of New York, who is partly deaf, is in the habit of answering "yes" to everything when a gentleman is talking to her for fear he might propose to her and she not hear it.

By a decree of the Supreme Court of Alabama the Selma, Rome & Dalton railroad, from Selma to the Georgia State line, has been ordered to be sold June 14th, at a minimum price of $1,500,000.

Life is put together considerably like a set of harness. There are traces of care, lines of trouble, bits of good fortune, breaches of good manners, bridled tongues, and everybody has to tug to pull through.

When August Korn was married a few days ago at Litchfield to Wilhelmina Field, the organist played as they marched out of church, "What will the harvest be?" We could answer that conundrum but leave it to others.

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At Hardin station, Ohio, on Wednesday evening, an unknown colored tramp on being put off the train shot at the conductor, but missed him and struck a passenger in the car named Joseph M. Lehman, of Houston, Ohio, in the head. The tramp escaped and Lehman died in a few hours. The railroad company offers $500 reward for the tramp.

Goings-on in Congress.

Burlington Hawkeye.

Mr. Speaker—

The gentleman is a deep-dyed liar—

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Mr. Speaker, I rise to a question of privilege.

The committee on the revision of the laws—

Sir, Mr. Speaker, am I to be denounced in this House as a—

The gentleman misunderstood me. In calling him a liar I meant nothing personal. I say he is a scoundrel.

Mr. Speaker, I accept the gentleman's apology. I had heretofore considered him more a fool than a knave. I am pleased to learn that he is equally both. I am personally responsible for—

Allow me, Mr. Speaker, to call attention to a piece of shameless iniquity in this bill, which is already known to the thieves and vampires who have charge of it. There is, in the first section—

I would like to pair off—

At this critical juncture the Sergeant-at-Arms announced that two women and three babies were waiting to see two of the members, and after agreeing that the evening session should be for debate on finance only, the House adjourned.

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ERIE MAIL leaves	Philadelphia	11 55 p m
" "	Harrisburg	4 25 a m
" "	Williamsport	8 35 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	9 07 a m
" "	Lock Haven	9 40 a m
" "	Renovo	11 00 a m
" arr at	Erie	7 45 p m
NIAGARA EXP. leaves	Philadelphia	8 00 a m
" "	Harrisburg	11 25 a m
" "	Williamsport	2 25 p m
" "	Lock Haven.	3 50 p m
Passengers by this train arrive in Bellefonte at		5 05 p m
FAST LINE leaves	Philadelphia	11 50 a m
" "	Harrisburg	3 35 p m
" "	Williamsport	7 25 p m
" arr at	Lock Haven	8 40 p m

EASTWARD.

PACIFIC EXP. leaves	Lock Haven	7 00 a m
" "	Jersey Shore	7 33 a m
" "	Williamsport	8 15 a m
arr at	Harrisburg	12 05 a m
"	Philadelphia	3 40 p m
DAY EXP. leaves	Lock Haven	11 20 a m
" "	Williamsport	12 40 p m
" arr at	Harrisburg	4 10 p m
" "	Philadelphia	7 20 p m
ERIE MAIL leaves	Renovo	8 40 p m
" "	Lock Haven	9 50 p m
" "	Williamsport	11 10 p m
" arr at	Harrisburg	2 45 a m
" "	Philadelphia	7 00 a m
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" arr at	Harrisburg	3 50 a m
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BALD EAGLE VALLEY RAILROAD.—Time Table December 31, 1877.

WESTWARD.	Exp. A. M.	Mail P. M.
Leave Lock Haven	5 25	3 25
Flemington	5 29	3 30
Mill Hall	5 33	3 33
Beech Creek	5 46	3 47
Eagleville	5 50	3 51
Howard	6 00	4 00
Mount Eagle	6 08	4 10
Curtin	6 13	4 16
Milesburg	6 23	4 25
Bellefonte	6 43	4 35
Milesburg	6 43	4 45
Snow Shoe Int.	6 48	4 48
Unionville	6 58	4 58
Julian	7 09	5 10
Martha	7 18	5 21
Port Matilda	7 26	5 31
Hannah	7 34	5 40
Fowler	7 40	5 46
Bald Eagle	7 48	5 53
Vail	7 53	5 58
East Tyrone	7 58	6 03
Arrive at Tyrone	8 05	6 10
EASTWARD.	P.M.	A.M.
Leave Tyrone	7 08	8 30
East Tyrone	7 15	8 37
Vail	7 19	8 42
Bald Eagle	7 23	8 47
Fowler	8 54	7 50
Hannah	7 56	9 02
Port Matilda	7 44	9 11
Martha	7 52	9 20
Julian	8 01	9 30
Unionville	8 11	9 42
Snow Shoe Int.	8 21	9 51
Milesburg	8 24	9 55
Bellefonte	8 32	10 03
Milesburg	8 45	10 15
Curtin	8 55	10 25
Mount Eagle	9 00	10 30
Howard	9 08	10 40
Eagleville	9 18	10 52
Beech Creek	9 22	10 57
Mill Hall	9 34	11 10
Flemington	9 37	11 14
Arrive at Lock Haven	9 42	11 18

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Leaves Bellefonte 10.14 a. m., arrives at Snow Shoe 11.57 a. m.

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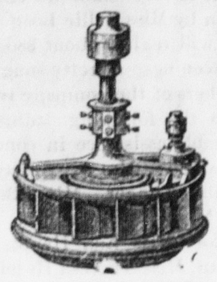

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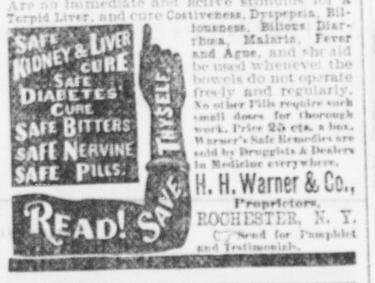

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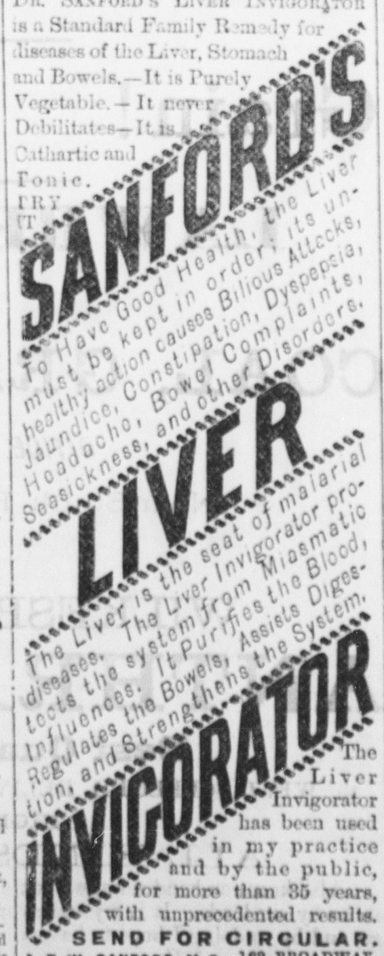
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Bellefonte Republican.

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ADDITIONAL LOCALS.

—Harry Hale and W. F. Malin, two of Bellefonte's "stalwart shootists," have been up in McKean county several days slaughtering pigeons.

—Frank Crosthwaite, of this place, for some time telegraph operator at Vail, has secured a position in an office at Goldsborough, York county.

—The wife of Mr. Edward Kabella died very suddenly at Pine Grove the early part of last week, where, we are informed, she was living with her parents.

—A new counter graces the office of the Garman House. It is a very handsome piece of workmanship, and was built at John Ardell & Co.'s planing mill.

—There was a sight of drunkenness in town last week. We wouldn't for the world intimate that the presence of so many preachers had anything to do with it, though.

—Mr. Jacob D. Valentine has erected a new board fence along his garden on Spring street, which greatly improves the appearance of that section of the street.

—A dwelling house occupied by William Harpster, at Pine Glenn, was totally destroyed by fire one day last week, with most of its contents. A mill located near the house narrowly escaped.

—Mr. William Smith, formerly of this place, had the thumb and one finger of his hand so badly mangled, while coupling cars at Tyrone on Saturday morning last, that amputation was necessary.

—There were about a dozen dipper ducks on the dam Saturday morning, and three gunners to every duck. We didn't hear of anybody getting any ducks, though, except what they got falling overboard.

—Hart, the winner of the last great walking match, proposes to enter a law office at Boston and study for the profession. One of these days we suppose he'll become a full-fledged attorney-Hart-law.

—The ladies are now wearing heavy veils to ward off freckles. This is all right, only a fellow is liable to make mistakes by bowing to some one he never saw before, which makes it mighty awkward, you know.

—Mr. Martin Holler, the artesian well man, reports that he has all the business he can handle at present. He has three wells now under contract in the county, and is about starting one at Barree, in Huntingdon county.

—Our jovial friend, J. L. Kurtz, of the Centre county bank, hied himself away on Saturday evening on the late train. He told no one whence he went, but "folded his tent" like the Arab and silently stole away somewhere.

—Newspapers and magazines, or any other publications affording interesting reading, are wanted at the Y. M. C. A. rooms for the use of the young men and boys who congregate there. Anything which will be new to the boys, even if it is a little old in date, will be very acceptable.

—Some of the citizens in the South ward complained about an unpleasant odor floating about that locality on Sunday night, and wanted the matter looked into. We've investigated and find that the Somerset county cheese factories have resumed operations, and that on the night in question the wind was southwest. We hope this will be satisfactory.

Logan Festival.

The ice cream and oyster festival given by the Logan hose company on Friday and Saturday nights, was not as well patronized as it should have been by our citizens, although the boisterous weather of Friday evening, which made it disagreeable for people to be out, no doubt had considerable to do with the slim attendance that night. Saturday night the weather was more favorable, and the attendance was large. The room was handsomely decorated with pictures, bunting, etc., and the stars and stripes, in graceful festoons, floated from the ceiling. Flags representing every nationality were also suspended from the walls. They are the property of General Beaver, and are a curiosity to those who have never seen them. The ice cream, cake and other refreshments were of excellent quality, and the young ladies who acted as waiters were prompt and polite in their attentions. The Mountain City Band, in full uniform, gave an open air concert before the building each evening, which drew together a large crowd of people. Considerable interest was manifested in the contest for the prize cake, which was drawn by Kattie Lose, a little daughter of Mr. Isaac Lose. This cake was of immense size, and a beautiful specimen of the baker's art. It was made by Miss Elizabeth Baney, and the frosting, which was so much admired, was the handiwork of Mr. Frederick Schlenker. A very handsome chromo was drawn by Miss Nellie Boan. The company will realize about $80 from the two evenings—a pretty snug pile. The members of the company return thanks to the following ladies for their valuable assistance in conducting the festival: Mrs. G. A. Bayard, Miss Lalla Klinger, Miss Bertha Schrock, Miss Lizzie Schrom, Miss Maggie Ross, Miss Ada Haupt, Miss Nellie Boan, Miss Theresa Hazel and Miss Hannah Kiley. Also to the following parties for generous contributions: Miss Elizabeth Baney, Mr. Oscar Smith, Mr. Frederick Schlenker, Mr. Joseph Ceaders and Mr. J. H. Sands.

—Rev. A. N. Whitmarsh, of Lancaster county, preached an interesting sermon in the Baptist church on Sunday evening.

—The *Watchman* would like to have the commissioners' and treasurer's offices scrubbed out. It wouldn't be a bad idea.

—The public schools close this week, and the pupils will have about five months to frolic and forget what they learned.

—The Holidaysburg *Register* appeared last week in a new dress of type and considerably enlarged.

—Some of the ministers in town last week interviewed the *Watchman* editor. We sincerely hope it was not fruitless.

—Rev. Dr. Robbins, of Harrisburg, will occupy the pulpit of the Presbyterian church on Sunday next.

—Three or four "hilarious" individuals were consigned to the lockup Saturday night for safe keeping.

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W. S. Musser	Tavern	Millheim boro'h
John Ramsdale	Tavern	Philipsb'rg boro
Henry Robb	Tavern	Walker township
Jonathan Kreamer	Tavern	Millheim boro'h
James Passmore	Tavern	Philipsb'rg boro
James Matley	Saloon	Philipsb'rg boro
John Anderson	Saloon	Bellefonte boro
Daniel Garman	Tavern	do do
David J. Meyer	Tavern	Potter township
John H. Odenkirk	Tavern	do do
Perry H. Stover	Tavern	Penn township
Geo. L. Blackford	Saloon	Bellefonte boro
Edward Brown	Tavern	do do
Gotlieb Haag	Tavern	Spring township
Joel Kling, Jr.	Tavern	Marion do
Frederick Smith	Eating H.	Bellefonte boro
D. G. Bush	Tavern	do do
H. C. Yeager	Eating House	do do
George Miller	Tavern	Gregg township
C. A. Faulkner	Tavern	Philipsb'rg bor
Robert Lloyd	Tavern	do do
Harvey Witheright	Eating H.	Sn. w Shoe twp
Alois Kohlbecker	Tavern	Boggs township
Jeffrey Hayes	Tavern	Rush township
D. H. Kuhl	Tavern	Potter township
R. V. Shaffer	Tavern	Howard boro'h
W. R. Teller	Tavern	Bellefonte boro

14-4t J. C. HARPER, Clerk.

COURT PROCLAMATION.—Whereas, the Hon. Charles A. Mayer, President Judge of the Court of Common Pleas of the 25th judicial district, consisting of the Counties of Centre, Clinton and Clearfield, and the Hon. Samuel Frank and the Hon. John Divens, Associate Judges in Centre county, having issued their precept, bearing date, 11th day of Dec., A. D., 1879, to me directed, for holding a court of Oyer and Terminer and General Jail Delivery and Quarter Sessions of the peace in Bellefonte, for the County of Centre, and to commence on the fourth Monday of April next, being the 26th day of April 1880 and to continue two weeks. Notice is hereby given to the Coroner, Justices of the Peace, Aldermen and Constables of said County of Centre, that they be then and there in their proper persons, at 10 o'clock in the forenoon of said day, with their records, inquisitions, examinations, and their own remembrances, to do those things which to their office appertains to be done, and those who are bound in recognizances to prosecute against the prisoners that are or shall be in the jail of Centre county, be then and there to prosecute against them as shall be just.

Given under my hand, at Bellefonte, the 1st day of April, in the year of our Lord, 1880 and in the one hundred and fourth year of the independence of the United States.

JOHN SPANGLER, 14-4t Sheriff.

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SHERIFF'S SALES.

BY virtue of sundry writs of Fieri Facias, Levari Facias, and Venditioni Exponas issued out of the Court of Common Pleas of Centre county, and to me directed, there will be exposed to public sale at the Court House, in Bellefonte, on

Saturday, April 24, A. D., 1880,

at one o'clock, P. M., the following described real estate of the defendants, to wit:

No. 1. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Patton township, Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the south by land of David Taylor, on the west by heirs of Andrew Hunter, on the east and north by land of Wm. Tressler—containing one acre more or less. No buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain lot of timber land situate in Patton township, Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the east by land of Wm. Tressler, on the north by land of Andrew Wise, on the south by lands of heirs of Andrew Hunter, and on the west by land of C. Reese—containing 20 acres more or less. No buildings. Seized taken in execution and to be sold as the property of G. W. Rumberger.

No. 2. The undivided one-half interest in all that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Potter township, Centre county, Pa.: Beginning at a stone; thence by land of John Royer, north 35½° east, 16 5-10 perches to a spruce; thence by same north 80° east, 24 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by land of Hannah Cooney North 4° east, 11 3-10 perches to a stone; thence by John Moyer's land north 58° west, 30 3-10 perches to a post; thence north 13½° west 7 6-10 perches to pine stump; thence south 65° west, 5 3-10 perches to a corner; thence north 79° west, 12 2-10 perches to a road; thence by land of Wm. McMinn south 4 1-10° east, 40 perches to the place of beginning—containing 4 acres 94 perches. Thereon erected a two-story frame house, store room, stable and other out-buildings.

ALSO,

All that certain tract of unseated land situate in Harris township, Centre county, Pa., in the warrantee name of George Fox—containing one hundred and thirty-three acres more or less. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Daniel Durst.

No. 3. All that certain messuage, tenement and lot of ground situate in the village of Central City, Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the east by a street, on the south by Railroad street, on the west by lands of James E. Hale's estate, and on the north by land of Emanuel Schroyer—containing 4 lots in the plan of Central City being each 50 feet by 200 feet. Thereon erected a planing mill. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of William H. Campbell, Mary Campbell executors of Wm. Campbell, dec'd.

No. 4. All that certain lot or piece of land situate in Potter township, Centre county, Pa.: Beginning at a line stone; thence by lands of Nicholas Decker, north 27° west, 102 5-10 perches to a stone; thence by Mountain south 40° west 107 perches to stones; thence by lands of Peter Wolf, south 22° east, 90 5-10 perches to a stone in public road; thence by said road north 70° east 39 perches to a white oak; thence north 67½° east, 57 perches to a pine stump; thence north 78° east, 31 perches to line stone; thence north 10° west, 5 perches to line stone; thence north 78° east, 9 5-10 perches to line stone; thence north 10° west, 15 perches to line stone; thence north 78° east, 46 perches to the place of beginning—containing 9¾ acres and 84 perches and allowance. Thereon erected a two-story log house, and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Zettle.

No. 5. The undivided one-fourth part of all that certain tract or piece of ground situate in Benner township, Centre county, Penn'a: Beginning at a post; thence by land of Charles Witmer 51½° west, 102 8-10 perches to a post; thence north 59° east, 81 5-10 perches to a post: thence north 31 5-10° west, 161 8-10 perches to stone heap; thence by land late of Henry Van Dyke, south 59° west, 102 perches to stones by white oak; thence by land late of Henry Brockerhoff, deceased, south 33½° east, 297 perches to post; thence south 31½° east, 62 7-10 perches to post; thence by land of T. R. Reynolds, north 55½° east 57 3-10 perches to the place of beginning—containing 159 acres and 100 perches. Thereon erected a two-story brick house, bank barn and other outbuildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Frank Mullen.

No. 6. All that one-half undivided part of the three several messuages, tenements and tracts of land as follows, to wit: one tract situate in Rush township, Centre county, Penn'a, surveyed on a warrant to Christopher Tenhore, beginning at an ash corner of John Hambright and Casper Shaffner, Jr.; thence north 56° east, 320 perches more or less to a pine; thence south 40° east, 230 perches more or less to a pine corner of Henry Pinkerton; thence by the said Henry Pinkerton survey south, 50° west, 320 perches, more or less, to a dogwood corner of Robert Speer; thence by the said Robert Speer survey north 40° west, 230 perches, more or less, to the place of beginning, containing 455 acres and 153 perches.

ALSO,

One other tract situate in Rush township, Centre county, Penn'a, surveyed on a warrant to Robert Speer: Beginning at a post corner of John Hambright and George Hoofnagle; thence by John Hambright survey north 50° east, 320 perches, more or less, to an ash corner of the above described tract; thence by the said above described tract south 40° east, 230 perches, more or less, to a dogwood corner of the H. Pinkerton survey; thence south 50° west, 320 perches, more or less, to a post corner of tract in the name of Peter Miller; thence by the said Peter Miller survey north 40° west, 230 perches, more or less, to the place of beginning—containing 455 acres and 153 perches, more or less.

ALSO,

The other tract situate partly in Rush township, Centre county, and partly in Morris township, Clearfield county, Penn'a, described according to a plan or survey thereof, made in April, 1795, on warrant dated the 24th day of December, 1792, being No. 1, on said plan and warranted in the name of Casper Shaffner, Jr. Beginning at a post a corner of tract in the name of Christian Musser; thence south 40° east, 230 perches to a post; thence by tract in the name of Christian Tenhore, south 50° west, 320 perches to a post; thence by tract in the name of John Hambright, north 40° west, 230 perches to a post; thence by tract in name of Christian Musser, north 50° east, 320 perches to the place of beginning—containing 455 acres and 153 perches, more or less. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Tracks and Joseph E. Parker.

No. 7. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the borough of Bellefonte and partly in Spring township, Centre county, Penn'a: Bounded on the north by Willow Bank street, on the east by Holmes street, on the south by an alley and on the west by lot of Henry Bucher; fronting on said Willow Bank street, 100 feet and extending back 150 feet to said alley—containing ¼ of an acre, more or less. Thereon erected a two story frame house, stable and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Campbell.

No. 8. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the village of Centre Hall, Potter township, Centre county, Penn'a, bounded as follows: Beginning at stone corner of lands of Joseph Bitner, deceased; thence north 78° west, along turnpike 4 5-10 perches to stone, at alley; thence along said alley north 15½° west, 19 9-10 perches to point; thence by other lands of Joseph Bitner, deceased, south 74° east, 4 2-10 perches to stone; thence by same south 14° east, 13 1-10 perches to place of beginning—containing 51 perches, more or less. Thereon erected a two-story frame house, stable and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John H. Miller.

No. 9.—All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Spring township, Centre county, Penn'a: Bounded on the north by Margaret Tolan, on the south by Solomon Barlet, on the west by William Humes, on the east by land of Solomon Barlet—containing ¼ acre, more or less. Thereon erected a story and a half frame house and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Evan B. Fisher.

No. 10. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Ferguson township, Centre county Penn'a: Bounded on the east by estate of widow Hess, on the west by J. B. Ard, on the south by public road, and on the north by J. B. Ard—containing ¼ of an acre, more or less. Thereon erected a one and one-half story frame house, stable and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Eliza M. Carter.

No. 11. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in the village of Central City, Centre county, Pa.: Bounded on the south by Front street, on the east by J. M. Wagner, and on the north by Iddings street—containing ¼ of an acre, more or less. Thereon erected a story and a half frame house and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of John Conner.

No. 12. All the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract of land situate in Rush township, Centre county, Pa., in the warrantee name of John Hambright and described according to a survey made thereof by David Haugh on the 30th day of August, A. D., 1858: Beginning at a pine tree corner; thence extending by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Andrew Graff, north 51½° east, 314 perches more or less to a white pine, a corner; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Casper Shaffner, south 38½° east, 233 perches more or less to a red oak tree or black oak fallen; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Robert Speer, south 51½° west 320 perches more or less to a post; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of George Huffnagle, north 38½° west, 232 perches more or less to the place of beginning—containing 453 acres and 100 perches and allowance.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract or piece of land situate in Rush township, Centre county, Pa., in the warrantee name of Andrew Graff, beginning at a hemlock tree a corner; thence extending north 50° west, 320 perches more or less to a pine tree corner; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Christian Musser, south 40° east, 230 perches more or less to a sugar tree a corner; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of John Hambright, south 50° west, 320 perches more or less to a pine tree corner; thence by a tract of land in the warrantee name of Sebastian Graff, north 40° east, 230 perches, more or less, to the place of beginning—containing 455 acres and 153 perches, more or less.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract or piece of land situate partly in Rush township, aforesaid, and partly in Morris township, Clearfield county, Pa.: Bounded on the north by lands late of the estate of Henry Loraine, deceased, on the east by lands of Quay and Kyler, on the south by lands in warrantee name of Andrew Graff, on the west by lands late of Brenner and Company—containing 407 acres and 137 perches surveyed April 4, 1795, on warrant in name of Christian Musser. Thereon erected two frame houses, an old saw mill and other outbuildings.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract of land situate in Morris township, Clearfield county, Penn'a: Beginning at a stone heap, formerly a white oak corner; thence by lands late of Lever and Loraine south 220½ perches to a post, east 184 perches to a post; thence by lands surveyed to Robert Rainey north 220 5-10 perches to a white pine, along lands surveyed to Stephen Kingston 154 perches to the place of beginning—containing 200 acres and 57 perches and allowance, and was surveyed in pursuance of a warrant dated March 13, A. D. 1837, issued to Leonard Kyler.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of defendants in land situate in Morris township, Clearfield county, Pa.: Beginning at a fallen hemlock; thence south 2½° west, 218 perches to a white pine; thence north 87½° west, 318 6-10 perches to a maple tree; thence north 2½° east, 163 5-10 perches to a post; thence south 84° west, 69 3-10 perches to a post, north 2° east, 69 3-10 perches to a hemlock; thence south 85° east, 247 8-10 perches to the place of beginning—containing 412 acres and 84 perches, more or less. Being part of a larger tract surveyed in the name of John Houston.

ALSO,

All the right, title and interest of defendants in all that certain tract of land situate in Morris township, Clearfield county, Penn'a: Beginning at a spruce corner; thence by Daniel Milk purchase north 86° west 160 perches to a pine; thence by John Taylor and John Houston surveys 225 perches to a pine, south 1½° west course, called in the original survey south; thence east 76 perches to a post; thence north 1½° east 105 perches to a spruce; thence south 88½° east 84 perches; thence north 1½° east 120 perches to the place of beginning—containing 170 acres. Being parts of two surveys in warrantee names of David Beverage and Francis Johnston. Thereon erected a two-story frame house, stable and other out-buildings. Seized, taken in execution and to be sold as the property of Jacob Mock, with notice to John Wagner and W. E. Wagner, as terre tenants.

NOTE.—The undivided one-third part of the above described tracts of land will be sold at the same time and place by Wm. T. Kirk, Esq., trustee for certain creditors of Wagoner & Bro. Terms made known on day of sale.

No. 13. All that certain lot or piece of ground situate in Potter township, Centre county, Penn'a: Beginning at a stone; thence by lands of John Moyer south 2½° west 136 9-10 perches to a maple; thence by land of John Royer south 27° east, 53 4-10 to a post; thence by land of Frank Wright

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BELLEFONTE, PA.

Farm and Fireside.

Plans for the Season's Work.

Has every farmer who reads these pages a well defined plan for his season's business? If he has not he should as quickly mature one as possible. Make a rough memorandum sketch of the season's operations and work as near to the laid out plan as circumstances and the changes of the season will permit. It is rather late, to be sure, but it is better to have even an imperfect one than none at all. There are but few farmers, perhaps none, that have not sketched out in their mind a rough draft of what they propose to do, which should be reduced to a more perfect system, and the work of each week, if possible, or as nearly as possible, planned, and these plans reduced to writing. In the midst of active employment we are apt to forget, for the time being, many minor points which it is highly important to remember when the time arrives to allot to them. The time passes, they are neglected, and a loss great or small is sustained. The loss may not be noticed, but it will be, nevertheless, as real as though it were held up to view.

The plans of a farm which embrace only a twelvemonth or the season of active labor among the crops, is but a temporary expedient, but much better than none at all. A plan embracing a period of time extending over ten years is none too great. It will require all of that to mature and work out a system that will prove most profitable. Numerous circumstances will occur demanding minor changes and alterations of details, but need not, and should not, interfere with the general plans of the decade.

Great mercantile and manufacturing enterprises are built up by years of close attention to one general system, laid down by the founders of these houses. The campaign of a great general is carefully studied and planned before an order is issued. Many incidents occur to change minor details, but if successful the original plan must be pursued with energy to its completion. The same general principle applies to farming. An improved strain of stock, which will give the most profit on feed and care bestowed, cannot be perfected in much less than ten years. His swine, his cattle, sheep, horses, and all the smaller fry, will, if the plan laid down be a wise one, increase in profitabieness each succeeding year. His orchards, groves, hedges, his small fruits and garden, will increase in extent and productiveness each succeeding year, while the master's experience will give him greater facilities in developing every branch of his business to make it most profitable. His home surroundings should not be neglected, but improved "little by little," it may be, every year, but never neglected. Nature, with a comparatively small amount of aid, will do a great deal for every farmer, in beautifying his home surroundings. And here is where the chief selling value of a farm lies. The eye sells more property than all other appliances combined. Many a worthless article sells well because it pleases the eye. A really valuable article which pleases the eye always sells well and for a fair price. For this commercial reason alone, the farmer should commence beautifying his farm right at his door step. Plant a rosebush, set out an evergreen; put up a neat picket fence and whitewash it. Nothing in the country landscape is more attractive than bright white washed fences and the smaller outbuildings, contrasting sharply with green trees and grass. Remand the rough but useful buildings for stock, tools, etc., to the rear behind screens of trees, vines and shrubbery. Let no uncouth object intrude upon your home picture to offend the eye of a fastidious stranger. And if the eye of the stranger is pleased, every eye that dwells there and goes in and out day by day will be pleased also. Perhaps the family may not be aware of the influence of beautiful surroundings, or feels its sharp impulse like the stranger, but the educating influence for the beautiful is always present and constant in its work.

The beautifying of the farm should extend in a widening circle from the dwelling to the remotest bounds of the place. The profit returned by those improvements should always exceed their cost, and they will always do so if good judgment combined with economy directs the hand which makes them.

A handsome farm and a good farm are the combinations which present the highest degree of farming. A farm answering to this description always has a high commercial value, while it yields the greatest amount of satisfaction and the largest income to the owner and his family.

Because our prarie country is devoid of trees, they are the chief sources of delight, and should be planted by every owner of an acre of land. If placed in the market they will sell the land for ten times their cost; as a source of comfort and delight to the occupants of the farm their value cannot be estimated.

Nature has presented every prarie farm a *carti-blanche* to the owner—he may make of it a beautiful Eden or an unsightly ranche with a grim, repulsive hovel, surrounded by weatherbeaten fences and sheds, with scarred and blackened patches dotting the prairie's primitive green. One is a joyous home of beauty, the other is a squalid prison of discontent, from which its inmates break and flee at the first opportunity. Profit and beauty are twin sisters in farming, while gaunt poverty and repulsive ugliness are the handmaids of a poor husbandry, conducted without design or system.

How to be a Good Husband.

Love and honor your wife. Many a man toils early and late to earn bread for his wife. He hesitates at no weariness for her sake. He thinks that industry gives a better expression of his love thon he could give by caressing her. He drives and pushes his business. He never dreams that he is killing his wife. Recall and repeat the little attentions that once made you so agreeable to her. It is not beneath the dignity of a gentleman to cherish his wife. Suffer for your wife if need be. Never complain of your wifes' faults to your friends, for it is not gentlemanly to do so, and it will only cause people to think less of you. Study to keep your wife young. It can be done. Keep a brave, true heart between her and all harm. If you will carefully walk in the way of righteousness you can shield her from cankering care. Providence will not be likely to bring upon her anything that is not good. Help to bear her burdens. She has the constant care of your children. Her burdens are everywhere; look for them that you may lighten them. Make yourself helpful by thoughtfulness. Remember to bring into the house smiles instead of frowns. It is good for you, and it cheers up the home. If the dinner is not always ready when you come in, do not scold your wife; perhaps the babe has been sick and required more attention than usual, or your wife may have more work to do than she can accomplish. Express your will not by command but by suggestions. You are the head of the family, but this does not authorize you to be stern and harsh. Your authority is the dignity of love, when it is not clothed in love, it ceases to have the substance of authority. A simple suggestion that may embody a wish, an opinion, or an argument, becomes one who reigns over such a kingdom as yours. Study your character as a husband. Transfer your deeds with the impression they might naturally make to some other couple, and see what feelings they would awaken in your heart concerning that other man.

Are you seeking to multiply the joys of your wife as well as to support her? Be a gentleman as well as a husband. Remember the golden rule. Do to others as you would have others do to you.

In all probability your wife has left a better home than the one to which she comes. All the changes for the worse are painful. She cannot but contrast your accommodations with the abundance she left. It becomes you to remember that she has taken you instead of all these comforts, and you must see to it that she has no reason to complain of her exchange.

When you sell your crop of grain buy your wife a nice present; but don't go to the factory and buy yourself a fine cloth coat, and one for your wife that is made out of the refuse of the mill. She may not complain, but she will think a great deal and perhaps not work so hard to help raise the next crop.

Stay at home. Habitual absence is sure to bring sorrow. If you go out to mingle with other society and leave your wife at home with the children, know that there is no good in store for you. Take your wife with you when you go out into society, for she has more need to go than you. It will soon ruin your wife's health to stay at nome and work all the time.

If your home is not as attractive as you want it to be, remember you are a principal partner and set your self about making it attractive. Get some paint and paint your doors and windows, and get some lime for your wife to whitewash the house with, and if some of the plastering is off you can soon put it on. Don't tell your wife it is no use to fix up the old house, for you intend to build a new one; remember your wife may be in her grave before the new house is built.

Bee Notes for April.

In most locations bees will be placed upon their summer stands during the present month. At this season of the year great care should be taken to give the bees every advantage and encouragement to increase in numbers. After they have had an opportunity to fly freely, the hives should be examined and thoroughly cleaned. A good way to do this is to do this is to start with a clean, empty hive, and place it upon the stand of the first hive to be examined, having the one containing the bees directly in the rear; lift the combs from the old hive and place them in the new one. After cleaning the hive from which the bees have been taken, pass to the next, and transfer from that into the first hive, and so on through the yard. When handling the hives, be sure that each colony has a laying queen and plenty of honey. Let there be only a sufficient number of combs for the bees to occupy. Carefully open the hives in the morning, when the bees are compactly clustered, and remove those combs not occupied by the bees. This will allow those inexperienced to decide the proper number of combs to leave. The combs that are thus removed from the hives should be cared for, and kept in a dry place, where mice or rats will not have access to them. If any colonies should be found queenless, unite such with the lightest stocks that have good queens. After the bees have had an opportunity to fly a day or two, the presence of a queen may usually be determined by the presence of eggs in the combs in the centre of the cluster. When the number of frames is limited, have a good, close-fitting division board at the side of the combs to diminish the space which the bees must keep warm. Contract the entrance to the hives, and be sure that all upward ventilation is prevented. All this should be done in the middle of the day when it is warm. Care must be taken not to expose combs, or in any other manner to induce robbing. After bees have been put in proper shape do not make the mistake of opening the hive too often until the season is sufficiently advanced. Handling bees too early, to stimulate breeding, often results greatly to their injury. As the season grows warmer and the bees increase in numbers, combs may be added.—*L. C. Root, in American Agriculturist.*

Mexican Marvels.

Colonel Fred Grant chatted freely with a party of friends, yesterday, at military headquarters, about his recent wanderings in Cuba and Mexico. He spoke particularly of the last named country. The Mexicans desire more railroads, he said, and are willing to grant subsidies which would pay for the cost of their construction; but the question of extending aid to lines of rail connecting that country with the United States is regarded by them as being of a political nature, and such projects excite some opposition. The railroad connecting Vera Cruz with the city of Mexico is an achievement of the finest engineering skill. Locomotives weighing seventy tons are used in hauling the cars between the two points. The average running time is about twenty miles per hour, but this can be increased to a speed of thirty or thirty-five miles when occasion demands it. The charge of transporting a ton of iron from Vera Cruz to the city of Mexico is $80. The finest, hardest, smoothest wagon way in the world runs between these two cities. Its width is such as to admit of four teams traveling abreast, and then the roadway is a pavement the entire distance. It is centuries old, and the cost of building it and maintaining it has been $150,000,000. Col. Grant said that the National roads in Mexico are like macadam. There are several beautiful drives in the city of Mexico and its environments. Some of the private residences are marvels of architecture and superbly finished. The women in the better circles of Mexican society are generally good looking, while many are very beautiful. They get their fashions from Paris the same as American women. The Mexican populace, when brought together in vast assemblages, are as orderly and decorous as any people under the sun. The theatres in the city of Mexico are very fine. The National is equal to the New York or Philadelphia Academies of Music.

Diaz, the colonel said, is apparently the most popular man in Mexico. He is an Indian, and does not speak English, but his address and manners are polished and pleasing. A volunteer soldiery a million strong could be mustered on short order, but the nation is not well enough off financially to equip and maintain such an army a great length of time. The governing element of the country, politically, financially and socially, is composed of 1,500,000 people, who have good Spanish blood coursing in their veins. There is a great deal of wealth in the country. Labor is very cheap. Men work for from 12½ to 25 cents per day and board themselves. A man can subsist there at an expense of four or five cents per day. In rural districts are many haciendas of vast dimensions. The owners and their workmen, often numbering several hundreds, occupy a cluster of dwellings, which are always walled in for protection against attack. The men are paid for their labor and are free to seek employment from other owners, and yet they stick to one hacienda as if they were slaves subject to the behest of a master.—*Chicago Times.*

A Boy's Head Cut Off.—The Johnstown *Tribune* prints the following account of a boy who would jump on railroad trains:

About 9 o'clock this forenoon a fatal accident occurred on the Pennsylvania railroad, at a point opposite Stineman & Co.'s coal mines, in close proximity to the South Fork. A boy aged some twelve years, named Gibbons, whose parents reside in that vicinity, tried to clamber upon one of the cars of a section of local freight which was being shifted to the siding there by engineer Scott McCormick, of engine No. 524, but by some mischance he failed to reach the platform, and was thrown to the track, and his head was jerked over on the east rail. The wheels passed over his neck and the head was completely severed from the trunk. Death was, of course, instantaneous. The victim in this instance had been in the habit of jumping on passing freight trains, and had begun to exhibit considerable agility in doing so, but presuming too much upon his ability, he at last met with a terrible end. We have no particulars of the sad affair beyond which are above recorded.

Kisses by telephone taste like a boiled china egg on toast.

State News.

A Berks county cat caught seventeen young chickens in one day, and was shot with the eighteenth in its mouth.

The Reading *Times* says Bernville apiarists have lost swarms of bees through dysentery—a queer disease for bees to have.

The Philadelphia and Reading Railroad Company intend to place electric lights in all their shops in Reading, at a cost of $800 to $1,000 each.

The next holiday is Decoration day, May 30, which this year falls on Sunday, and will be observed on the preceding Saturday.

The receipts of the American Steamship Company last year were $859,971.04, the operating expenses $671,068.82, the general expenses $91,315.86, and the deficit $62,086.06.

Captain John H. Young, Shipping Commissioner at the Philadelphia port, died last week, in the 72d year of his age. His death was caused by gangrene on the large toe of the right foot.

Colonel Benjamin Brownfield, living near Uniontville, Fayette county, is 100 years old. He has 12 children-112 grand-children and 31 great-grand, children.

Toward the wilds of Kinzua, Warren county, is now where most of the oil operations are going forward, and these are mostly conducted by the large companies, who seem to have everything within their grasp.

Mr. William Blessing, of Windsor township, York county, has sold his three acre crop of tobacco, of last year's growth, to Samuel Kochert, of Wrightsville, for eleven dollars per hundred weight, around.

Rev. Jacob Sechler, a Reformed preacher, at Hanover, York county, who has been preaching for a period of forty-three years, has tendered his resignation to his congregation on account of the infirmities of his advanced age.

On the first of April the Farmers' National Bank of Reading received on deposit $203,995.72, and paid out by check, $193,395.73. The National Union Bank handled during the day between $200,000 and $300,000 and the First National Bank handled considerably over $200,000.

The will of Stephen Kistler, the Stroudsburg millionaire, provides that his store in New York and all his tanneries shall be kept running for five years after his death, and the different establishments are placed in charge of his several children.

John Callahan and Martin Maguire engaged in a prize fight, on Gray's Ferry road, Philadelphia, Sunday. At the end of the twenty-second round Maguire was rendered insensible, and was removed to his home in a critical condition.

William B. Smith, colored, was found in a freight car, near Germantown Junction, in an exhausted condition. He entered the car on Saturday, and being accidentally locked in, was without food or water nearly 48 hours.

In the new State hospital for the insane at Norristown, where the organization provides a woman doctor for the wards for women patients, the trustees have made another decided advance. They have fixed the salary of the male physician at $2,000 a year, and that of the female physician at $1,800.

In granting only a few licenses, the Court in Butler county took occasion to instruct keepers of licensed houses that the licensed part of the same had relation in law entirely to the accommodation of travelers and strangers, and not to that of residents for mere tippling purposes. No restaurant licenses were granted.

Trouble is anticipated in Forest county, owing to the appearance there of men from Ohio and other States to trap wild pigeons, which is against the law of Pennsylvania, a penalty of $50 being attached to such an act, unless the trapper has a license from the county. The Warren county Sportsman Club has taken the matter in hand.

In West Bethlehem, Mrs. Eckert has not eaten for one week, and is laboring under a strange hallucination. A physician has been summoned, and it is hoped that by persuasion and medical treatment she may be restored to health, although she clings firmly to the belief that she must fast 40 days and 40 nights. She was also determined that her children should eat nothing.

The frequency of mountain fires along the lines of railroads centering at Scranton, and the danger of fire to many valuable breakers and shops owned by the large companies, have induced them to unite in the building and equipping of an ingeniouly devised "fire department train," which can be started out on a very minute's notice and run to the scene of danger.

The Nose.—The improvement of noses has become an art, if a correspondent of the Cincinnati *Enquirer* is to be believed. "A lady of my acquaintance," the writer says, "was given by nature a nose that was flat—a sort of pug, with wide nostrils. Meeting her a few days ago, I did not at first recognize her. She was immensely improved. I asked the cause. 'Can't you see?' she asked. I scrutinized her face. 'Yes,' I exclaimed, 'it's your nose, and it has grown out. Well, I never! What did it?' Her nose stood out to a proper length, and was as shapely as could have been desired. 'I've got an extensor in it,' she said, 'but you mustn't tell.' 'What's an extensor?' 'A met lining or form, which I wear in my nose to give it a good shape. I'll show it to you when we get home.' She did show it to me. It was simply two forms of silver, colored red on the inner surface, to be pressed up in the nostrils. They effectually lifted the end of the nose out from the face, and were not uncomfortable or discoverable." These articles are further declared to be an article of common manufacture by fashionable dentists.

German Millet.—I see in your paper Childs & Winks wish some information in regard to sowing German millet. I had a very good crop last year on sod and old ground—drilled part, harrowed a part, and harrowed and rolled a part. The drilled was the best. I also approve of rolling. I had thirty acres last year, shall sow fifty acres or more this year and drill it all.—J. A. G., in *American Farmer.*

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WASHINGTON.

Special Correspondent.

WASHINGTON, D. C., April 18, '80.

The Democrats got into a family quarrel in the House, the other day, to the great amusement of the Republicans and spectators in the galleries. Sparks, of Illinois, called Clymer, of Penn'a., a liar. The quarrel arose by a request of Mr. Sparks that a separate vote be taken on an amendment to the Army bill under discussion. Mr. Sparks says he was instructed to make this request by the Military Committee, of which he is chairman. This request being distasteful to Mr. Clymer, he insinuated that it was a matter of doubt whether the military committee had given such instructions, whereat Mr. Sparks became very angry and called his fellow Democrat a liar. He subsequently apologized. The affair created much excitement at the time. Such scenes as the above are becoming quite frequent in the House. They occur only on the Democratic side. The majority seem determined to disgrace themselves. The Democrats dare not get up a political fight, and as their thirst for gore must be satisfied somehow, they are pitching into each other.

The Senate is still engaged upon the Ute agreement. It is now certain that the important amendment will be made, before it can pass either house. Secretary Schurz has bungled the Indian question in such a manner that Congress has small confidence in his agreement, and are going to make one to suit their own ideas of what ought to be done. They have adopted one important amendment—that the White River Utes shall receive no money under the act until they have surrendered the Meeker murderers, or have proved their death. The plan of removing the charge of the Indian affairs to the War Department is spoken of favorably in Congress again, and though no action will be taken at this session, there may be next.

It is expected that the bill recently adopted by the House committee on banking, repealing the law placing a tax of two cents on bank checks, will be passed at this session.

Another Democratic blunder may be expected before long. This time it will be in connection with the Soldiers' Homes. The term of office of six of them is about to expire, and the House military committee is determined that none but Democrats shall be appointed to fill the vacancies. Even General Butler is to be kicked out.

The election news from all parts of the country for the last few days have been uniformally good, and will still further tend to discourage Democratic mischief makers. It looks as if the North would be as solid against them as the South is for them. PHIL.

For The Fair Sex.

Short shoulder capes of material resembling the dress or harmonizing with it are talked about as a feature of walking suits.

A great many plain skirts are seen of corduroy or velvet for walking dresses. Over these the overskirt is simply draped and is generally of light cloth or camel's hair, finished with machine stitching on the edges.

In both evening and walking dresses any and every combination of colors and materials that does not conflict with artistic requirements is admissible. Black or iridescent beads and appliques of silk and velvet are largely employed upon silk, satin and cashmere fabrics.

The close fitting bonnet is prominent among a variety of fashionable shapes. Turbans are popular for young ladies. Instead of fancy plumage, flowers appear on the latest bonnets. Just at present the sunflower is much employed, and large clusters of roses and peonies in rich but subdued colors are in favor.

Purple in all its shades, from the darkest violet to the palest lilac, stands in the front rank this spring. Among them the newest and most fashionable is the heliotrope, a reddish shade, which is exactly that of the heliotrope blossom when full blown. Other purples are in grayish red tints suggesting raspberry cream.

Laces for neckwear consist almost entirely of the popular Breton and Languedoc, and cream tints and ecrue or deep yellow are shades much admired. The fichu has usually a narrow center or mull or net edged on both sides with full ruffles of lace. It is drawn up closely about the neck and takes the place of collar and bow. It may be fastened in front with a pretty oblong pin or small bows of ribbon. Spanish lace is most fashionable for veils scarfs and the like.

Most of the newspring dresses are made with a basque bodice and double skirt. The panier arrangement does not seem to be gaining much ground; some dresses are trimmed about the hips, but not in a very bouffant manner. At the back the skirt is always draped up more or less, but lower than was formerly the case. If there be but a single skirt, it is trimmed en tablier in front, with panels at the sides and some sort of tournure and drapery at the back. Combinations of two materials, one plain, one figured, are still very fashionable; indeed, very few spring costumes are made of but one fabric, and in many of them there are as many as three or four.

"Entering Society."

The current number of *The Queen* is one of unusual excellence. An article of much interest is on "A Young Lady's Entrance into Society," in which the writer says:

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Local Department.

—A good child's suit at Lyon & Co.'s for $2.00.

—Street lamps have been erected on Howard street.

—Our merchants are all doing a good spring business.

—A number of Bellefonters visited Philipsburg last week.

—Monday was a cold, raw day—good day for the shakes.

—A special term of court was held last week by Judge Mayer.

—Charlie Rine's new building over the race is a "tony" structure.

—Uncle Tom's Cabin is booked for the Opera House next Monday night.

—If you must smoke buy your cigars of Harry Green, and get the best.

—A nobby spring suit at a remarkably low price at the Philadelphia Branch.

—The lawyers about town are laying in a stock of "cheek" preparatory to the harvest.

—Chambersburg is making preparations for a big firemen's parade on the 13th of May.

—As the season advances the crowd of people who rush to the trains increases in numbers.

—Boys and girls, armed with basket and carving-knife, are on the hunt for dandelions.

—The celebrated Dr. Warner's flexible hip and health corsets are to be had at the Bee Hive.

—Owing to the close of many of the district schools, there are a number of pedagogues out of a "sit" just now.

—Why of course they are first-class and popular, too, because everybody says so. We refer to Harry Green's cigars.

—Is Bellefonte to be represented in the base ball arena this summer? We have good material, and ought to have a good, strong nine.

—Don't waste your flour or other cooking materials by using impure groceries Go to Sechler's and get the purest and best.

—A young man was elbowed in the eye at the depot on Monday night. If he hadn't have been there he wouldn't have got hurt.

—Gordon & Landis, dealers in all kinds of machinery, shipped an engine and boiler to Farrandsville, Clinton county, last week.

—Those who attend court next week will miss a great opportunity if they fail to visit Sechler & Co.'s and lay in a stock of their pure, fresh groceries.

—Mr. John Sourbeck has leased Reynolds' Opera House for a term of ten years. May it prosper in his hands and yield him a handsome income.

—An Erie man named Harpin, become enraged at his wife a few days since and sliced her hair off with a carving knife. That's the kind of a "Harpin" he is.

—Oleomargarine, the substitute for butter, doesn't take well in Bellefonte. For some reason or other the people don't like to come down to hog fat and suet.

—It's about time for spring liars. We expect some fellow will step up in a few days and want to bet a pair of spring overalls that he's had three messes of peas already.

—Mr. Walter Bayard returned home on Saturday from Canton, O. He expects to remain in Bellefonte in the future, having secured the position of clerk in Harris' drug store.

—The employees of the Valentine iron works, who were discharged a few days ago, have been put to work again, the difficulty between the parties having been amicably adjusted.

—John Ardell, Esq., has the honor of being the first man out this season with a lawn mower. He thus scores one on Dr. Hayes, who stole a march on the rest of us by planting tubers in March.

—John English and Win Wagner, of this place, while driving on Saturday afternoon, collided with a team driven by William Galbraith, of Benner township. One hind wheel of the latter's buggy was wrenched off, and the vehicle otherwise damaged.

—The strike among the miners at Osceola and vicinity is about over. The *Recville* says that, although many of the striking miners are still out and stubbornly refuse to work at the old prices, the mines are again in operation and within a week or ten days will be running full-handed.

HUNTINGDON PRESBYTERY.

Brief Report of the Proceedings of the Meeting.

The Presbytery of Huntingdon met in the Presbyterian church, at this place, on Tuesday morning of last week. We have not the space for a full report, and can only give a synopsis of the proceedings. The assemblage was called to order at 11 o'clock, by choosing J. C. Wilhelm moderator, who opened the meeting with a strong and interesting sermon from the text, "And the God who answereth by fire, let Him be God."—1 Kings, XVIII, 24. The discourse was a very able one, abounding in rich spiritual information, and it is to be regretted that there were not more present to hear it.

At the conclusion of the sermon prayer was offered by Rev. Wilhelm, after which the roll was called. Forty-five ministers and thirty-five elders responded to the call. Dr. S. T. Wilson was elected moderator, Rev. J. C. Oliver recording and N. F. Brown reading clerk by acclamation. The committee of arrangements made a report, fixing the hours of meeting at 8½ a. m., and 2 and 7 p. m., which was adopted, after which the meeting adjourned till 2 p. m.

The body reassembled at 2 p. m., and after a half hour spent in devotional exercises, the minutes of last stated and adjourned meetings were read and adopted.

The following committees were then appointed by the moderator:

Bills and Overtures—Revs. J. C. Wilhelm, R. F. Wilson, J. P. Foresman, and Elders Dr. C. Irwin and M. L. Bird.

Judicial—Revs. M. N. Cornelius, J. C. Barr, W. O. Wright, and Elders Joseph Dysart and A. Porter.

Auditing—Elders J. F. Ellsworth, T. Appleby, J. A. Keesebury.

Leave of Absence—Revs. D. W. Moore, William Gemmill, and Elder T. C. Vancleave.

Rev. J. H. Mathers, Treasurer of Presbytery, read his report, which was referred to the Auditing committee.

The following ministers were invited to sit as corresponding members: Rev. Mr. Furst, of the Lutheran church, Mr. Donahue, of the Methodist Episcopal church of Bellefonte, Mr. Groh, of the German Reformed church of Boalsburg, and Mr. L. L. Haughawaut, of the Northumberland Presbytery.

A memorial from ministers and elders resident in Clearfield county was read before the meeting. The substance of the memorial was to the effect that as the population of Clearfield had largely increased the duties of the small number of ministers in said county had become correspondingly heavy, and asking Presbytery to supply at least one itinerant laborer for that field. The matter was discussed by a number of the members, Revs. Thos. Thompson, Wm. Gemmill, J. A. Fullerton, R. Crittenden, H. S. Butler and D. S. Campbell, speaking earnestly in favor of the memorial, which was finally referred to the committee on Bills and Overtures.

A request from persons residing at Robertdale, Huntingdon county, asking for organization of a church at that place, was received add referred to Committee on Bills and Overtures.

The Auditing committee reported that they had examined Treasurer's account and found it correct. Report accepted.

The congregation of the Spruce Creek church, with their pastor, Rev. J. C. Kelly, asked the Presbytery to legalize a change in the call of said church, making his salary $1,000 per annum with the free use of the parsonage. Request granted.

Meeting adjourned to 7:30 in the evening.

Invitations were received from the churches of Spruce Creek, Birmingham, Alexandria, Sinking Valley, Clearfield and Fruit Hill for the Presbytery to hold its next stated meeting in their respective churches. Birmingham was selected. It was also resolved to hold an adjourned meeting in the church of Milroy, at 2 p. m., on the third Tuesday of June.

Rev. Dr. Thompson preached an interesting missionary sermon from the text, "Go ye, therefore, and teach all nations."

At the close of the sermon a collection was taken up, the money to be divided between the Home and Foreign Missionary Boards.

A report of the Women's Foreign Missionary Society of the Presbytery was read by Rev. S. W. Duffield, after which Rev. A. N. Hollifield read the following paper:

WHEREAS, The Ladies' Home Missionary Committee, of the Synod of Harrisburg, held a convention in Huntingdon, on the 24th of February last, and appointed Mrs. Wm. Dorris, Mrs. J. M. Bailey, Mrs. Dr. Wilson, Miss Eliza Cresswell, Miss Myla Porter, Mrs. Anna G. Patterson, Mrs. N. C. Barclay and Miss Hattie Brown a committee to effect the organization of auxiliary societies in our churches; be it

Resolved, That we cordially recommend the said committee to our churches.

This paper was the cause of considerable discussion. Revs. N. F. Brown, M. N. Cornelius and A. N. Hollifield advocated its adoption, but Rev. Wm. Laurie strongly opposed it.

On motion, the consideration of it was postponed, to take up the order of the day, being the report of the committee on Bills and Overtures. The memorial from Clearfield coming first, was considered.

The committee reported re ommending Rev. Dr. Wilson, Revs. M. N. Cornelius, and J. W. White be appointed a committee to visit said field and report such action as they deem best for the Presbytery to take.

The Presbytery adjourned until 7:30 Wednesday morning.

WEDNESDAY.

Presbytery met at 8:30 and opened with devotional exercises. Minutes read and approved. The paper offered by Rev. Hollifield, in favor of a home mission board, was taken up and discussed and finally adopted.

The following members were elected commissioners to the General Assembly: J. C. Wilhelm, M. N. Cornelius, N. H. Miller, principles, and Robt. Hammill, D. D., R. M. Campbell, Wm. Wallen, alternates.

Elders—Dr. Irwin, J. R. Simpson, L. Bird, principles, and Messrs. Macklin, Parker, Piper, alternates.

Rev. Sherrard, pastor of the Mifflintown church, requested the Presbytery to dissolve the relations existing between himself and that church.

E. D. Parker, Esq., commissioner, from Mifflintown, then addressed the Presbytery in opposition to granting said request. He also read the action of the congregation refusing to join in his request. A. J. Patterson, D.D., Ph., D., Dr. Elder, George Wilson, commissioners from said church, spoke opposing the dissolution.

Adjourned till 2 o'clock.

Not much business of importance was transacted during the afternoon session. Rev. Fullerton was appointed to preach the missionary sermon at the next stated meeting.

Rev. Hollifield presented a report on the Sabbath, which was adopted. The Presbytery advises its ministers and members of churches to abstain from encouraging desecrating of the Sabbath by attending camp-meetings or traveling on railroads and street cars on Sunday.

The request of the Rev. J. T. Sherrard, asking for the dissolution of the pastoral relations existing between himself and the Mifflintown church, after considerable discussion was complied with. Rev. A. H. Parker was appointed to preach in said church on next Sabbath week, and declare the pulpit vacant.

A report was presented by the Mifflintown church, asking Presbytery to prohibit certain members of the Presbytery preaching within the bounds of said congregation. Report laid over.

The evening session was opened at 7½ o'clock by Rev. J. J. Coale. Statistical and other reports were read, showing the affairs of the churches in the Presbytery to be in a good, sound condition. 252 members were added on examination, and 250 on certificate, to the churches during the year.

Albert Bird, of the Pennfield church, was examined and received under the care of the Presbytery as a candidate for the Gospel ministry.

THURSDAY.

Meeting opened with devotional exercises. Minutes read and approved.

The clerk was authorized to request all churches in arrears to their pastors to settle with them.

A call from the church of Petersburg for the ministerial services of Rev. S. T. Wilson, D. D., for two-thirds of his time was read, found in order, placed in the hands of Dr. Wilson and held by him until the June meeting.

Mr. Caveny, a commissioner from the Lost Creek church, was heard on the memorial from Mifflintown.

Dr. Elder and E. S. Parker, Esq., addressed the Presbytery in behalf of the prayer of the memoralists. Mr Parker spoke until recess.

Presbytery met at 6 p. m., and resumed business.

The treasurer was ordered to pay Rev. R. Crittenden $5 for drawing a map of the Presbytery.

The Rev. Silas A. Davenport was received by certificate from the Presbytery of Carlisle, and a call from the Middle Tuscarora church for his services being placed in his hands, was accepted by him.

Rev. J. T. Sherrard asked for and obtained permission to labor without the bounds of Presbytery during the next six months.

E. D. Parker then resumed his remarks in behalf of the Mifflintown memorialists.

At the conclusion of his remarks Rev. Hamill, D. D., offered a substitute, which was adopted. The Presbytery, while it does not propose to interfere with personal liberties of any members of these churches considers it irregular for any member of this or any other Presbytery to preach in the bounds of either of these churches without invitation from the respective sessions, pastor, or by direction of Presbytery. Furthermore, the Presbytery counsels the brethren of Mifflintown to bury their differences, and endeavor to arrive at an amicable settlement.

The evening session, which closed the meeting of the Presbytery, was devoted mainly to devotional exercises, the principal feature being an instructive and interesting sermon by Rev. Butler. The ministers and elders in attendance at the meeting were well pleased with the accommodations shown them, and consider this meeting one of the most successful the Presbytery has ever held.

Y. M. C. A. Convention at Centre Hall.

A local convention of the Young Men's Christian Association will be held at Centre Hall on Saturday and Sunday, April 24th and 25th, to be conducted by Rev. S. A. Taggart, State Secretary. The following programme of exercises has been arranged:

SATURDAY.

10 a. m.—Private.

2 p. m.—Conference of delegates and members of Centre Hall Association.

2½ p. m.—Public meeting, to open with devotional exercises, after which the following subjects will be discussed: "How can we best increase the interest in Bible study in our Association?" — Isaac Mitchell. "Our work for boys"—Rev. S. A. Taggart. "What features of literary and social work are best adapted for small places?" — John Mason Duncan "How can weak Associations be strengthened?"—Prof. J. W. Heston, State College.

7½ p. m.—Service of song, followed by short addresses on different phases of Association work.

SUNDAY.

9 a. m.—Consecration meeting.

2½ p. m.—Young men's meeting.

7½ p. m.—Union farewell meeting.

BELLEFONTE, April 18.

Mr. Editor—There was an article appeared in your paper of the 14th inst., in relation to a shoe button that was taken out of the left nostril of our little twin daughter Maggie, and lest our family physician might be placed in an unfair light in the matter I wish to say that he called to see Maggie Sept. 27, 1879, and had not been in the family for thirteen months previous to this call, and has not treated the child since the first call. JOHN L. POTTER.

UNIONVILLE, April 18, 1880.

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A. G. AMMERMAN.

—A choice selection of Paris novelties for ladies' suitings just opened at the Bee Hive.

—The rush or crowd at the Bush House still continues. Yesterday over seventy people were entertained there. The Bush House is fast becoming the head-quarters of the best farmers of our county, and it only proves that a large hotel, well kept, not only draws the most of the commercial travelers, but is the favorite home for the local and farmer's trade.

—Ladies are cordially invited to call at the Bee Hive and inspect our stock of housekeeping goods.

—Henry W. Foutz, of the Bellefonte planing mill, hereby gives notice that on or about May 1st he will withdraw from that establishment, intending to engage in business elsewhere. Between this time and May 1st he will close out his stock of doors, sash, mouldings and flooring at reasonably low prices, and parties desiring anything in this line will find it to their interest to call.

—Louis Doll informs the ladies of Bellefonte that he has the nobbiest ladies' shoes, and the most durable, of any dealer in the county. A spiendid stock just received, which he is selling very low.

—The largest and cheapest stock of shirts and underwear, including a full line of Cartright & Warner's goods, are to be found at the Bee Hive.

—A meeting of the Centre county agricultural society will be held in the Court House next Monday evening, the 26th, at 7 o'clock.

—One price and no double-dealing at the Philadelphia Branch clothing house. Goods all new and latest spring styles.

—Just received, the largest and handsomest stock of embroideries from 1c a yard up at Lyon & Co.'s.

—A special bargain in imported raw silk, in colors, for 57 cts. per yard, at the Bee Hive.

—Just opened, a big lot of hats at Lyon & Co.'s from 35c up.

—Full sets of undergarments at Lyon & Co.'s.

—The best and most stylish suits for the least money are made at the Bee Hive.

Notice.

The undersigned, fish wardens appointed by the Fish Commissioner of the State of Pennsylvania, hereby give notice that they have been duly authorized to see that the laws relating to the protection of fish are enforced. For this purpose they determined to prosecute any one who is found in any way violating the law, and have the the punishment which the law directs imposed upon such.

JOHN WAGONER,
GEO. C. MILLER,
HARVEY GRIFFITH.

The requirements of the law in regard to this matter are as follows:

The fishing season terminates with August 1, after which either catching or having in possession salmon or speckled trout is subject to a fine of $10.

It is also made illegal to catch speckled trout save only by rod, hook and line, at any time, or to place any set lines or nets across any stream inhabited by them under penalty of $25.

Glass Ball Shooting.

Another glass ball match was shot at the Fair grounds on Saturday afternoon, between Messrs. Wilkinson, Deschner and Valentine. Each man had thirteen balls, and the shooting was good all around, as will be seen by the score below:

Wilkinson	11
Deschner	12
Valentine	19

—Ask anybody where to go for the cheapest and best groceries, and they will immediately tell you to go right to Sechler & Co.'s. This shows that Sechler & Co. have a good reputation all over the county, and they are deserving of it. This grocery is kept as neat and tidy as any like establishment in the world, and the clerks are always gentlemanly and accommodating, and attend promptly to all customers. A complete stock of goods, pure and fresh, constantly kept on hand.

—Mill's barber shop is now a paragon of neatness and cleanliness, and comes nearer to Godliness than any other establishment of the kind in the world! The handsome tile paper placed on the walls, the beautifully kalsomined ceiling, the exquisite walnut cases, with French walnut trimmings, commensurate with the good-looking gentlemen who manipulate the razor, make it a desirable place to have one's face cleaned in the highest degree of tonsorial skill.

—The Garman House, because of its convenient location, offers superior inducements to jurors and others attending court. Those who attend court next week should remember this. All who patronize the Garman will receive prompt and courteous attention, and find the accommodations all that any one could wish.

—Heisler sells tombstones at $25 that other marble dealers ask $35 for and his $30 tombstones equals any tombstone in any of the surrounding counties sold for $38. Please call and examine, and see the different styles, as I have at least twenty diferent specimens, at the Bellefonte marble works.

—Our late fellow townsman, Mr. Hiram Hoffer, met with a severe accident at Tyrone one day last week, where he now resides. In mounting a step ladder before his place of business he unfortunately slipped and fell to the pavement, breaking one of his limbs.

—Mr. John M. Duncan will open his private school on Monday, May 30th. He will receive pupils from 8 years upward. Especial care will be given to young ladies and gentlemen who may desire preparation for teaching. Early application is desirable.

—Choice fruits and confectionery at Sechler & Co.'s. Candy is an article that is heavily adulterated, but none but the genuine is kept by Sechler & Co. Remember this when getting up parties, or other social gatherings.

—Heisler sells only the best Italian and Southern falls marble, so any person who wants a good tombstone for little money can get it by calling at his yard in Bellefonte.

—Don,t purchase your spring suit until you have called on Lewins, at the Philadelphia Branch. The largest stock to select from at his store to be found in the county.

—All those who want clothing, hats, caps, or underwear, should remember that Lewins, at the Philadelphia Branch, has the largest and most complete stock in the county, and no shoddy goods.

—If you want a real stylish hat select one from Lewin's large stock at the Philadelphia Branch. He can suit you in everything in his line.

—Just received, a big line of ladies' undergarments at Lyon & Co.'s.

—New Lanquedoc laces just received at Lyon & Co.'s.

The baby recently born to Mrs. Downs, of Harmony, Warren county, is 6½ inches in length, weighs 3 pounds, has hair an inch long, and its head will go in a wine glass.

—Beware of agents who go around selling tombstones who do not know what good material is, for there are as many qualities in marble as there are in any other goods. Heisler keeps the best and cheapest.

—Common marble will turn black before it is in the grave yard two years, so call at Heisler's marble works at Bellefonte and purchase good at a small price.

—Choice smoking and chewing tobacco at Sechler & Co.'s. Those who use the weed will find at this store a big assortment to select from.

—Just opened, a big line of millenery, flowers, silks, satin, broche edge ribbons, brocade silks, at Lyon & Co.'s.

—Our stock of woolens for the spring and summer season of 1880 just received. Leave your orders now. Respectfully,

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—A good shoe for $1.00 at Lyon & Co.'s; a good fine dress shoe for $1.25 at Lyon & Co.'s; a good button shoe for $1.25 at Lyon & Co.'s; the finest and best quality of shoes at Lyon & Co.'s—warranted work.

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MARRIED.

ALLBE—TIPPLE.—At the residence of Hiram T. Lucas, Esq., in Howard, on April 15, 1880, by Elder S. Blair, Mr. Joseph Allbee, of Flemington, and Miss Catherine Tipple, of Howard.

HENDERSON—DEHASS.—At Beech Creek, April 15, by the Rev. W. A. Ridge, Mr. James A. Henderson, of Buffalo Run, and Miss Mary E. DeHass, of Beech Creek.

COWHER—WAY.—At the residence of Scott Miles, Esq., in Port Matilda, on the 15th inst., by the same, Mr. Martin Cowher and Mrs. Hannah Way, all of Port Matilda.

DIED.

WASSON.—March 26th, 1880, at Lemont, of consumption, Alice M., daughter of Geo. E. and Mary Wasson, aged 19 years, 10 months and 10 days.

ECKEL.—April 15, at 4 p. m., at the home of Wm. Sawyer, her son-in-law, Mrs. Catherine Eckel, aged 77 years, 8 months and 15 days.

The deceased was in the enjoyment of full health on Wednesday evening, and was called away so suddenly as not to have any warning of her approaching death. Heart disease is said to be the cause.

The Markets.

BELLEFONTE, April 20, 1880.

Trade has been rather dull during the past fortnight, owing in a great measure to the good weather, which has enabled the farmers to engage in their agricultural pursuits at home.

GRAIN.

The wheat market has been dull, owing to the weak market eastward. There is considerable wheat in Centre county, held by farmers, who now regret that they did not sell when wheat was at $1.45. Farmers must learn one thing: that speculating in wheat is dangerous, and when they hold wheat for higher prices they become speculators and take their chances as dealers. Corn, oats and rye are nominal.

At Philadelphia the market was unsettled and wheat is lower. Red, $1.29; amber, $1.31 white, $1.31; rye, 86@87c; corn, 53@54c for yellow; oats, 42c for mixed; white, 44@46c.

In our Bellefonte market good butter is very scarce. Taking into account the rich agricultural districts in the vicinity of our town, the average quality of butter offered for sale here is a disgrace to any intelligent community, and the merchants do great injustice to good butter makers, as well as to consumers, by continuing the practice of paying one price, which is no inducement for those who are disposed to make good butter. We would be glad to see some one of our enterprising merchants take the lead in this matter and pay a fair price for good or gilt edged butter, and let those who make cart grease go where their commodity is needed.

Potatoes are in endless variety, and cheap. If our farmers would learn to cultivate one choice variety, so that they could join and sell in car lots, they would get a more ready market and better prices.

QUOTATIONS.

Whitewheat per bushel	$1 15
Amber wheat	1 15
Rye per bushel	60
Corn, cob	45
Corn, shelled	50
Oats new	40
Cloverseed	4 00
Flour, retail, per barrel	6 75@7 00
Flour, wholesale	6 75@7 00

HAY AND STRAW.

Hay, choice timothy, per ton	$15 00
Hay, mixed, per ton	14 00
Long rye straw, bundled, per ton	6 50
Short straw per ton	5 50@6 50

PLASTER.

Cayuga, ground, per ton	$ 8 00
Nova Scotia, ground, per ton	10 00

Provision Market.

Corrected weekly by Valentines & Co.

Apples, dried, per pound	5
Cherries, dried, per pound, seeded	10
Beans per quart	8
Fresh butter per pound	25
Chickens per pound	5
Cheese per pound	20
Country hams per pound	9
Hams, sugar cured	
Bacon	7
Lard per pound	7
Eggs per doz	12½
Potatoes per bushel	30
Dried beef	20
Wilson's pressed beef per pound	25
Canned tomatoes per can	15
Lemons per doz	40
Dried sweet corn per pound	
Small Onions per quart	8